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THEIR MAJESTIES' FAREWELL TO U.S. PRESIDENT



Two photographs showing how the King and Queen waved farewell and how Mr. Roosevelt responded with clasped hands held aloft as the Royal train drew away from Hyde Park Station after their Majesties' stay at the President's home.

Embargo Bill Emasculated

U.S. REPUBLICANS FOIL MEASURE

WASHINGTON, June 30 (Reuter)—After rejecting the proposal by Congressman Allen, Democrat, to abolish all neutrality laws, the House of Representatives to-day upset the administration's Neutrality Bill plans by voting 159-152 to include the "compromise" arms embargo in the Bill.

The "compromise" proposal, introduced by the Republican Representative Vorys, would prevent the shipment of arms and ammunition to belligerents, but would exclude, as Mr. Vorys put it, "implements of war—whatever that means."

Representative Hamilton Fish, Republican, declared that the proposals would mean the specific exemption from the embargo of everything except lethal weapons, and mentioned oil, aircraft and lorries as exceptions.

The House postponed its final vote on the Vorys compromise resolution until Friday.

THETIS SALVAGE

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter)—After being delayed for several days by bad weather the salvage vessels Zolo and Ranger sailed from the Mersey for Liverpool Bay to begin on the salvage of the submarine Thetis which sank on June 2 with the loss of 99 lives. The sea is reported to be smooth.

CHINA WAR NEWS:

NORTH HUNAN FIGHTING: FIERCE GUN DUEL: JAPANESE DRIVE IN SOUTH CHECKED

MILO, HUNAN, June 30 (Central)—A fierce gun duel took place across the Sinsiang River in north Hunan on June 28. The Japanese fired more than 100 rounds, including gas shells.

Two hundred Japanese troops from Samshui had a chance encounter with a Chinese unit at Yeungmul on June 27. Sharp fighting lasted for about five hours during which some 70 Japanese were killed and wounded. The remnant Japanese retired to Samshui.

WIMBLEDON RESULTS

Miss K. Stammers Wins Easily

WIMBLEDON, June 30 (Reuter)—The third round of the ladies' singles tennis championship was played to-day in sunny weather with a slight breeze.

Miss Katherine Stammers, the British seeded player, beat Nana Brown 6-2, 6-3, while Mrs. Spelling, of Denmark, also seeded, defeated Diana Wood, from Devonshire, by scores of 6-3, 6-1.

Another Fire In London

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter)—The fourth fire in four days occurred in London to-day when a timber merchant's workshop was badly damaged. All the workmen escaped and were not injured.

The Under-Secretary for the Home Office, stated in the House of Commons that the fullest investigation was being made in connection with the recent big fires in London.

It will be recalled that the third big fire in three days occurred in Upper Thames Street where a warehouse was gutted.

There were no casualties.

Arms Profits To Be Taxed

NEW LEVY FOLLOWS WARTIME MEASURE

LONDON, June 30.—A White Paper was issued here yesterday on the Arms Profits Tax, a measure which follows closely the Excess Profits Duty which was introduced as a war measure in 1915 and remained in force until 1921. The duration of the present duty is announced as three years.

The new levy amounts to 60 per cent of all profits (in excess of £200,000) annually deriving from sales of armaments. It differs in several respects from the wartime duty which extended to all business enterprises, regardless of their nature, making higher profits than in the pre-war period.

Excess profits within the meaning of the act represent the proportion attributable to arms supplies, which are based on individual pro-duty averages for any consecutive twelve months ending June, 1938.

Allowances is made for increased capital of 8 per cent in the case of companies and 10 per cent in the case of an individual or partnership, and an amount equal to 8 per cent for reduction of capital.

BULGAR PREMIER DUE IN BERLIN

BERLIN, June 30 (T/Ocean)—It is officially confirmed here this morning that the Bulgarian Premier and Foreign Minister M. Kosselvanoff will arrive in this city on July 5 for a State visit of several days.

He will be accompanied by his wife and daughter as well as several members of the Bulgarian Government.

JAPANESE BROADCAST RIDICULED

CHUNGKING, June 30 (Central)—A Japanese radio broadcast from Tokyo alleging that Gen. Li Han-yun, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, has been relieved of his post, was categorically denied by a spokesman of the National Military Council in an interview yesterday.

After paying a high tribute to Gen. Li's meritorious services to Kwangtung since his assumption of the governorship, the spokesman stated that the Japanese broadcast is a clumsy piece of propaganda which does not deserve any attention at all.

Blockade Of Foochow Postponed

TOKYO, June 30 (Reuter)—THE JAPANESE HAVE POSTPONED THE BLOCKADE OF FOOCHOW FOR A FEW DAYS TO ENABLE TWO BRITISH DESTROYERS THERE TO EVACUATE THE BRITISH RESIDENTS AFTER THE EVACUATION THE BOOM ACROSS THE MOUTH OF THE HARBOUR WILL BE COMPLETED. SEE ALSO PAGE 9

WHERE AND WHEN HE SPEAKS

HITLER HAS TO BE CAREFUL

BERLIN, June 30 (Reuter)—It is learned that Herr Hitler is, in all probability, not going to Bremen to-morrow for the warship launching at which he was expected to speak.

It is believed that the German Fuehrer is anxious to get as much rest as possible before the strenuous time anticipated in the autumn and is therefore avoiding any engagements that are not strictly necessary.

Herr Hitler, it is realized that his speeches are at present so important to the world that he must be extremely careful where and when he makes them.

It would be difficult for him to speak on a naval occasion without mentioning the British naval memorandum, in which connection he is said to be unwilling to anticipate Germany's formal reply.

FRENCH ARMY CHIEF TO TOUR FORTIFICATIONS

PARIS, June 30 (T/Ocean)—Gen. Gamelin, the Commander-in-Chief of the French Defence Forces, will next week make an exhaustive inspection of the French fortifications on Corsica and of the land, sea and air forces stationed on the island.

Great public celebrations in honour of Gen. Gamelin will be held in Ajaccio, the capital of Corsica on July 5.

ROYAL WEDDING IN FLORENCE

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter)—The Duke and Duchess of Kent are flying to Florence to-morrow to attend the wedding of the Duchess's cousin, Princess Irene of Greece, to the Duke of Spoleto. The plane will be piloted by the Captain of the King's Flight, Flight-Lieut. E. J. Fielden.

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NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION

QUESTIONS IN COMM SWATOW, TIENTSIN AND HAULING DOWN OF B

B. And S. Wharf Not Yet Occupied, Says Mr. Butler

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter)—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Noel Baker asked Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, for a statement regarding the action by the Japanese authorities in Swatow in preventing the vessels Seistan and Kwangtung from entering the port, occupying of Butterfield and Swire's wharf and hauling down the British flag, and also concerning the declaration of the Japanese Commander in Tientsin that the blockade of the British Concession would be intensified.

Mr. Butler replied that the Seistan and the Kwangtung did not call at Swatow on the advice of the local British naval authorities. Obstructions had been placed in the neighbourhood of Butterfield and Swire's wharf but it was not yet occupied.

Reports of Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, did not confirm the account of the hauling down of the British flag or the statement attributed to the Japanese Commander in Tientsin.

HAD SEEN REPORTS
In a further reply, Mr. Butler said that he had seen press reports that booms had been put across Foochow and Wenchow and statements by the Japanese authorities in Tientsin that the Concession would be completely closed from Saturday but Lord Halifax had no official confirmation, and he (Mr. Butler) had nothing to add to the Prime Minister's statement on the subject of Tientsin.

Mr. Arthur Henderson asked if it was not understood that while negotiations were proceeding there would be some relaxation of the blockade rather than intensification.

The Foreign Under-Secretary replied in the affirmative but repeated that the Foreign Office had no official confirmation of the statement attributed to the Japanese military authorities.

"TIMES" ON LORD HALIFAX'S SPEECH

DIPLOMACY BY WAR IS BY THE BETTER CREED OR BY NEGOTIATION—FULL PR

LONDON, June 30 (BWS)—The Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, last night receives a check of press.

"The Times" says, "On one side stands the old idea of the new idea of international co-operation. Diplomacy by the better creed of diplomacy by negotiation. Selfish nations the idea of a European brotherhood of free states place in the forefront of those who believe in freedom of justice for all and in settlement of disputes by negotiation."

The "Daily Telegraph" says, "Lord Halifax's speech last night will be read; as it must have been listened to in this country on the broadcast programme, not only with approval, but with pride. No utterances more dignified, more resolute and more free from ambiguity could have come from the lips of the British Foreign Minister. The occasion was obviously a critical one and all the world was waiting to hear what Lord Halifax would say. It is high praise, therefore, to declare that the speech was entirely worthy of the occasion and of the nation to whose strongest convictions and resolve it gave expression."

"Those who pretend to believe that the British nation is not in earnest will have to revise their calculations. Lord Halifax has called the nation's flag to the mast. The record

I.R.A. Men Get 20 Years Each

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter)—Four Irish Republican Army men were each sentenced to the Old Bailey to 20 years' imprisonment on being found guilty of conspiring to cause explosions in what is central London. The men refused to plead saying that they were soldiers of the I.R.A. One of the accused was described as a bomb maker for the Irish Republican Army.

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2½d.
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London, June 30.

From Our Own Correspondent
London silver prices to-day were up 1/16 for Spot and down 1/16 for Forward as follows:—

June 29 June 30
Spot 17-15/16 18
Forward 17-3/4 17-11/16

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In the World of Sports

MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS

Ladies' R.C. Beat Kowloon C.C.

In a Mixed Doubles Tennis League match yesterday, the Ladies Recreation Club beat K.O.C. (B) by five sets to four.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Story (L.R.C.) lost to S. A. Gray and Mrs. Caven 5-7, drew with A. V. White and Miss V. Bradbury 6-6, beat F. Orise and Mrs. Eymard 6-0.

Capt. Hyde and Mrs. Beavan (L.R.C.) beat Gray and Mrs. Caven 6-1, lost to White and Miss Bradbury 5-7, beat Orise and Mrs. Eymard 6-1.

J. J. Ferguson and Miss J. Greig (L.R.C.) lost to Gray and Mrs. Caven 3-6, drew with White and Mrs. Bradbury 6-6, beat Orise and Mrs. Eymard 6-3.

All other matches were postponed.

CHARITY TENNIS EXHIBITION

Treat At C.R.C. To-morrow

Tennis enthusiasts are reminded of the charity tennis exhibition on the Chinese Recreation Club to-morrow.

An exceptionally interesting programme has been arranged, main feature being the singles tilt between V. T. Wang, ex-champion of Shanghai, and Tsui Wai-pui, local champion.

Other matches are:—Wang and H. D. Humjahn v. Tsui Brothers.

Dr. Philip Tian and Miss Yeung Wai-bun v. Dr. D. Y. Lin and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu (provisional).

Messrs. Dunlops are contributing the balls for the match and also two tennis rackets for raffling off. Starting time is 3 p.m.

OPEN LAWN BOWLS

Duncan And Gill Record Win

In the only Open Pairs Lawn Bowls championship match played yesterday, G. Duncan and W. Gill beat W. J. Penney and A. M. Omar by 25 shots to 15. The match was played on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club green.

On the 11th head the winners led by 14 shots to 5 and on the 20th head, when leading 20-15 registered a four. Penney and Omar recorded three threes.

Penney drew well but lacked support from Omar.

HOME CRICKET

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter)—The match between Cambridge University and Surrey, which was played at the Oval was drawn.

Surrey: 276 (Webster 5 for 71). Cambridge: 364 (Mann 74, Carr 87).

The West Indian tourists drew in their match against Norfolk at Norwich.

West Indies: 369 (Weekes 123). Norfolk: 376 for 8.

The M.C.C. declared their innings closed at 269 for 7 in their match against Oxford at Lords. Edrich scored 91.

Oxford replied with 339 for 8, declared (Lomas 138).

The M.C.C. were all out for 199 in their second innings (Compton 73).

SPORTING FIXTURES

TO-DAY
LAWN BOWLS.—First Division: Civil Service v. Kowloon Dockers; Kowloon B.G.C. v. Recreation "A"; Recreation "B" v. Craigengower; Kowloon C.C. v. Indian R.C. Second Division: Civil Service v. Hongkong F.C.; Kowloon F.C. v. Craigengower; Takapoo R.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Kowloon F.C. v. Police R.C. Third Division: Prison Officers Club v. K.B.C.; Recreation v. Kowloon C.C.; H.K. R.C. v. Craigengower; Kowloon F.C. v. Hongkong F.C.

WIMBLEDON TENNIS

Austin Through 3rd. Round: Women's Doubles

WIMBLEDON, June 30 (Reuter)—In the third round of the Men's Singles yesterday, the British Davis Cup player, Butler, beat the German-Davis-Cup player, Goertfert, 4-6, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Rukuljevic, of Yugoslavia, beat Onov of China, 6-4, 7-5, 6-4 and Brugnon (France) beat de Stafani (Italy) 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 6-4.

Riggs (America) beat Maltroy (Britain) 8-8, 11-9, 6-2.

Eugene Smith, the young Californian schoolmaster, who caused an upset by beating Menzel, on Wednesday, beat Cejnar (Bohemia and Moravia) 6-3, 6-2, 5-7, 1-6, 6-1.

Shayes (Britain) beat Siba (Bohemia and Moravia) 7-5, 6-0, 9-7.

Austin received a walk over in his tie against Drobny (Yugoslavia). Austin won the first two sets at 7-5 and 6-7, when Drobny retired owing to an injured hand.

Henkel (Germany) beat Shafil (Britain) 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Women's Doubles

In the first round of the Women's Doubles, Stammers (Britain) and Mrs. James Hemmelsley (Britain), who won the title in 1935-36, beat Mile. Jedzejowska (Poland) and Madame Mathieu (France) 6-3, 6-1.

Mrs. Cartwright (formerly Miss Mary Healey) and Mrs. Dorothy Little (Britain) beat Mrs. Andrus (U.S.) and Madame Henroth (France) 7-5, 6-2.

H.K. GOLF CLUB STARTING TIMES

The following are the Royal Hongkong Golf Club starting times for Fanning:

To-day (Old Course)
a.m.
9.16—G. C. Worrall, I. H. Geare.
9.20—K. S. Robertson, W. W. C. Shewan.
9.24—B. O. Baldwin, S. S. Church.
10.04—R. H. Gregory, J. M. Pearson.

New Course
a.m.
9.20—G. M. Park, R. Young.
To-morrow—Old Course
a.m.
9.16—G. C. Worrall, N. D. Lloyd.
9.20—D. S. Robb, I. P. Tamworth.
9.24—G. M. Park, P. S. Delany.
9.28—T. Ed Pearce, A. Sommerfelt.
9.32—J. W. Mayhew, E. Laidlaw.
9.36—S. H. Dodwell, I. H. Geare.
9.40—E. T. McMullen, D. Humphreys.
9.44—A. N. and Q. A. A. Macfadyen.
9.48—F. J. K. Walker, M. Pollock.
9.52—D. L. Prophet, H. S. Jones.
9.56—R. H. Gregory, A. D. Humphreys.

10.00—J. C. Brown, R. P. Morris.
10.04—V. R. Gordon, J. R. Collis.
10.08—J. B. Harrison, J. Linaker.
10.12—P. E. Ahnis, J. M. Pearson.
10.16—Brig. MacLeod, Major Simpson.
10.20—Capt. Lecky, Major Harvey.
10.24—B. T. C. Forrester, B. R. Smith.
10.28—Capt. Matthews, Major Bowie.
10.40—P. Nicholson, Major Alley.
10.44—Major Penfold, Col. Shackleton.
10.52—Major Way, Major Archer.
10.56—Col. Field, Capt. Reidy.

KOWLOON GOLF CLUB MIXED FOURSOMES

The following starting times for the Kowloon Golf Club's Mixed Foursomes have been arranged for to-morrow:—

A.M.
9.30 Mrs. Barber and Mr. A. Davies v. Mrs. Boyce and Mr. R. J. Wallace.
9.35 Mrs. Norman and Mr. A. Lopez v. Mrs. Dennis and Mr. P. Henderson.
9.40 Mrs. Kershaw and Mr. A. J. Dennis v. Mrs. Castro and Mr. W. S. Hillier.
9.45 Mrs. Hillier and Mr. F. C. Barry v. Mrs. Wallace and Mr. W. Ahern.

BASEBALL:

TWO GAMES THIS WEEK: CHINESE-RECREIO CLASH: MILITARY TEAMS MAKE HISTORY

BY R. O. Y.

The baseball programme for this week-end will consist of only two games, as the Mindanao-Hongkong Baseball Club clash has been postponed owing to the impending departure of the battle-wagon for Canton this morning.

At 2.30 this afternoon, the Chinese Baseballers tangle with Recreation in what is confidently expected to be a close and entertaining struggle.

The Chinese will field their strongest line-up and will not be taking any chances, as they still have hopes of carrying off championship honours which is only possible if they win all their remaining fixtures and if the Mindanao gang can take the Union Brewers in their return game.

Last season's champs, with Earl Wong in such fine hurling form, have a decided edge over the Portuguese boys but an upset is a distinct possibility, as the Rambling Recs have shown increasing improvement over their early season displays which met with little success during the early part of their campaign.

It is difficult to find a reason, but however badly the Recreation play against other squads, they invariably show their best form against the Chinese and have in past seasons proved to be the latter squad's most difficult obstacle; today's battle will probably be no exception.

TO-MORROW GAMES

Union Brewers, potential champions of 1939, will go into their match against South China, at 10 a.m. to-morrow, with the odds overwhelmingly in their favour, and should run their winning streak up to six in a row, without any difficulty.

As good as their record is, I have never been particularly impressed with their displays which seem to lack a certain quality which is perhaps best described as finesse. Their effectiveness though is undoubted.

The South China gang, on past performances, will probably give their powerful opponents a good run, for the first few stanzas, but are very likely to find the pace too hot over the final stages.

Hurrier Bill Chang has sufficient on the ball to cause the Brewers

plenty of trouble, but must learn to pace himself before he can hope to turn in any victories.

I watched him closely in his last outing and noticed that he was pouring everything into every ball he pitched—I remarked to a well known local baseball writer that he would be fortunate to last 3 innings—and such turned out to be the case. A judicious change of pace would relieve his arm of enough strain to allow him to finish seven full innings without impairing his effectiveness.

FRIENDLY FRACAS

Baseball history was made in Hongkong during the week, when for the first time two British military teams, staged a friendly fracas with the horse-hide and hickory.

On Thursday afternoon, at the Murray Parade ground, the Royal Engineers, led by Welford, trimmed the Royal Scots by 32 tallies to 6, after garnering 22 in the first frame.

The standard of ball played was not high, but both squads showed evident enjoyment of America's national sport. Neither aggregation has had much experience or practice, but the Sappers, who

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THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

Owing to the difficulties connected with the securing of Anti-Cholera inoculation certificates, rendering it practically impossible for riders, owners, maloes, etc., to proceed to Macao, The Stewards have decided to postpone the Race Meeting fixed for 2nd July, 1939, to a date to be announced later.

Holders of tickets in respect of the meeting of 2nd July, are informed that the same tickets will be valid at the next race meeting.

By order of the Stewards,

S. W. CHENG,

Secretary.

1st July, 1939.

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have been practicing for some six weeks, displayed very promising ball handling and stickwork.

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CRICKET RELAY FROM LONDON
OXFORD V. CAMBRIDGE

12.00 to 12.30 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Damsa (Vocal) and Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra. Farewell Blues—Fox-Trot (from "The Big Apple")—Margie—Fox-Trot—Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra. Chanson De Halage (Lendri and Claude). La Guinguette A Fernie, Ses Volets (Zwingle)—Damsa (Vocal) with Orchestra. On The Sunny Side Of The Rockies—Waltz: Sweet Genevieve—Fox-Trot—Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra. Tu Ne Sais Pas Almer—Waltz (film "Sola")—Damsa (Vocal) with Orchestra. Chicken Reel—Fox-Trot—Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Some Old Dance Favorites.

Wah Hool—The Original Hoosier Hot Shots. Shall We Dance (from the film). Beginner's Luck (from "Shall We Dance")—Abe Lyman and His Californians. Zo Zo Zo (Large and Others)—Herbie Kay & His Orchestra. "Soft" Lights and Sweet Music—Intro. Sleepy time down South. Peace of mind. The song is ended. Dancing Time. In a Mist. Sweet and lovely—Orchestra with Vocal. Tunes Of Not-So-Long Ago 1923-24—Intro. Last night on the back porch. My sweetie went away. Wonderful one. Yes we have no bananas. It ain't gonna rain no more. I love you. What'll I do. Horsey, keep your tail up—New Mayfair Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. "Elsie and Doris."

That's the Worst of Having People Upstairs (Western)—with Piano. Gert and Daisy and the Tandem (Waters). Huntin' (Ellis and Waters)—Elsie and Doris Waters.

Debroy Somers and His Band. Lucky Break (Archer and O'Keefe). Selection. Review of Reviews—Selection (with Vocal by Dan Donovan).

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. The Compositions of Delius.

Caprice (arr. Fenby)—Beatrice Harrison (Cello, with Orchestra); Hagan (Incidental Music to Flecker's Drama)—London Philharmonic Orchestra.

cond. by Sir Thomas Beecham. To the Queen of My Heart: Love's Philosophy—Heddie Nash (Tenor) with Gerald Moore at the Piano; Intermezzo from "Fenimore and Gerda"—London Philharmonic Orchestra cond.

by Sir Thomas Beecham. Sea Drift—John Brownlee (Baritone) and the London Philharmonic Orchestra under Sir Thomas Beecham.

6.42 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations.

6.45 p.m. London Relay—Lucky Dip (Twenty Third Edition).

7.30 p.m. The Music of Coleridge Taylor.

Christmas Overture—Symphony Orchestra cond. by Dr. Malcolm Sargent. Spring Had Come (Hawatha)—Elsie Suddaby (Soprano) with Orchestra. Intermezzo—New Light Symphony Orchestra. Onaway! Awake! Beloved ("Hawatha")—Tudor Davies (Tenor) with Orchestra.

Otello—Suite: 1. Dance from Otello. 2. Children's Intermezzo. 3. Funeral March. 4. Willow Song. 5. Military March—New Symphony Orchestra cond. by Dr. Malcolm Sargent. Sons of the Sea; Peter Dawson (Bass Baritone).

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report, and Announcements.

8.45 p.m. Chorus.

Vive La Compagnie (Tradition); When Johnny comes Marching Home (Traditional)—Harold Williams and B.B.C. Male Chorus. Drinks All Round—Columbia Vocal Gem Company.

8.15 p.m. London Relay—Cricket.

Oxford v. Cambridge.

8.50 p.m. A Programme of the Latest Variety Numbers.

I Can Give You the Starlight ("The Dancing Years")—Mary Ellis (Soprano). Waltz of My Heart ("The Dancing Years")—Mary Ellis (Soprano). Old Dessau—March; Per Aspera ad Astra—March—Massed Military Bands. Serenade (Film: Ave Maria); You Alone March (Film: Ave Maria)—Herbert Groh (Tenor). Rury Home—Fox-Trot; The Masquerade is Over—Fox-Trot—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. The Beautiful Bearded Lady—Zora Layman and the Home-towners. I Know that You Know—Fox-Trot—Benny Goodman Quartet.

I Cried For You—Fox-Trot—Benny Goodman Quintet. Snowball (Car-michael); Fat Little Fellow With His Mammy's Eyes (Gordon); Shortnin' Bread (Wolfe)—Paul Robeson (Bass).

9.10 p.m. London Sports Results.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—London Log.

9.45 p.m. London Relay—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News.

9.50 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.

With intervals of recorded music from Z.B.W.

12.00 p.m. Close down.

TO - MORROW

BRAHMS CONCERTO NO. 1
IN D MINOR

Chopin Programme

10.00 to 11.00 a.m. Relay of Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.

11.00 to 12.15 p.m. Relay of Morning Service from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).

12.15 p.m. Beethoven—Sonata In D Major, Op. 28.

Arthur Schnabel (Piano).

12.38 p.m. Two Mozart Songs.

"Le Nozze Di Figaro"—Porgi Amor; Dove Sono—Tiana Lemnitz (Soprano)

and The Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra cond. by Bruno Seidler-Winkler (Sung in German).

12.38 p.m. Mozart—Serenade In D Major, K. 239 (Serenata Notturna). The Adolf Busch Chamber Players directed and lead by Adolf Busch.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Webster Booth (Tenor) and the London Palladium Orchestra.

Amelia (Lincke)—The London Palladium Orchestra. cond. by Richard Green. Vienna City Of My Dreams (Sleguash)—Stay With Me For Ever (Guditta)—Lehar—Webster Booth (Tenor) with Orch. Dreaming—Waltz (Joyce); The Druid's Prayer—Waltz (Dawson)—The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by William E. Pethers.

Say That You Are Mine (Lockton-Kerich); Ah! Sweet Mystery Of Life (Herbert)—Webster Booth (Tenor) with Orch. Lightning Swirl—Telford—The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Green.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Compositions of Chopin. Concerto No. 2 In F Minor, Op. 21—Alfred Cortot (Piano) with Orchestra cond. by John Barbirolli. Nocturne, Op. 32 No. 1 (Ah, let me weep)—Milita Korjus (Soprano) with Orchestra. Polonaise In E Flat—Jose Echanals (Piano). Nocturne In C Sharp Minor—Natan Milstein (Violin) with Leopold Miltmann at the Piano.

2.30 p.m. Close down.

7.00 p.m. A Military Band Concert with Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Tidworth March (Stapford). Action Front March (Blankenburg)—Massed Bands of the Southern Command.

The Two Grenadiers (Schumann); Fishin' In The North Sea (Sterndale-Bennett)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra. Three Dale Dances (Wood)—Callenders' Senior Band. The Riveter (Sievier and Arden). The Fleet's Not In Port Very Long (film "O-Ray for Sound")—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra and Chorus. A Wayside Sanctuary—Idyll (Mackenzie)—Grand Massed Brass Bands at the Leicester Brass Band Festival cond. by C. A. Anderson.

7.30 p.m. De Groot and His Orchestra in Popular Numbers.

Evenings (Epithops Martin); Desert (Continued on Page 11)

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9.15—News (D2).

9.30—"London Log" (D2).

9.45—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News (D2).

10.00—Social Songs and Duets by Sophie Rowlands (soprano) and Tom Kinniburgh (bass) (D3).

10.20—The Wood Green Excelsior Band (D3).

11.00—"Airs and Disgrace" with Miss Ferris and his Orchestra (D3).

11.30—Dance Music by Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orpheans (D3).

12.00—News (D3).

12.15—All-England Lawn Tennis Championships. Commentary during play by P.H. Grisewood (D3).

12.45—Cricket: Oxford v. Cambridge. Commentary by E. W. Swanton (D3).

12.55—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News (D3).

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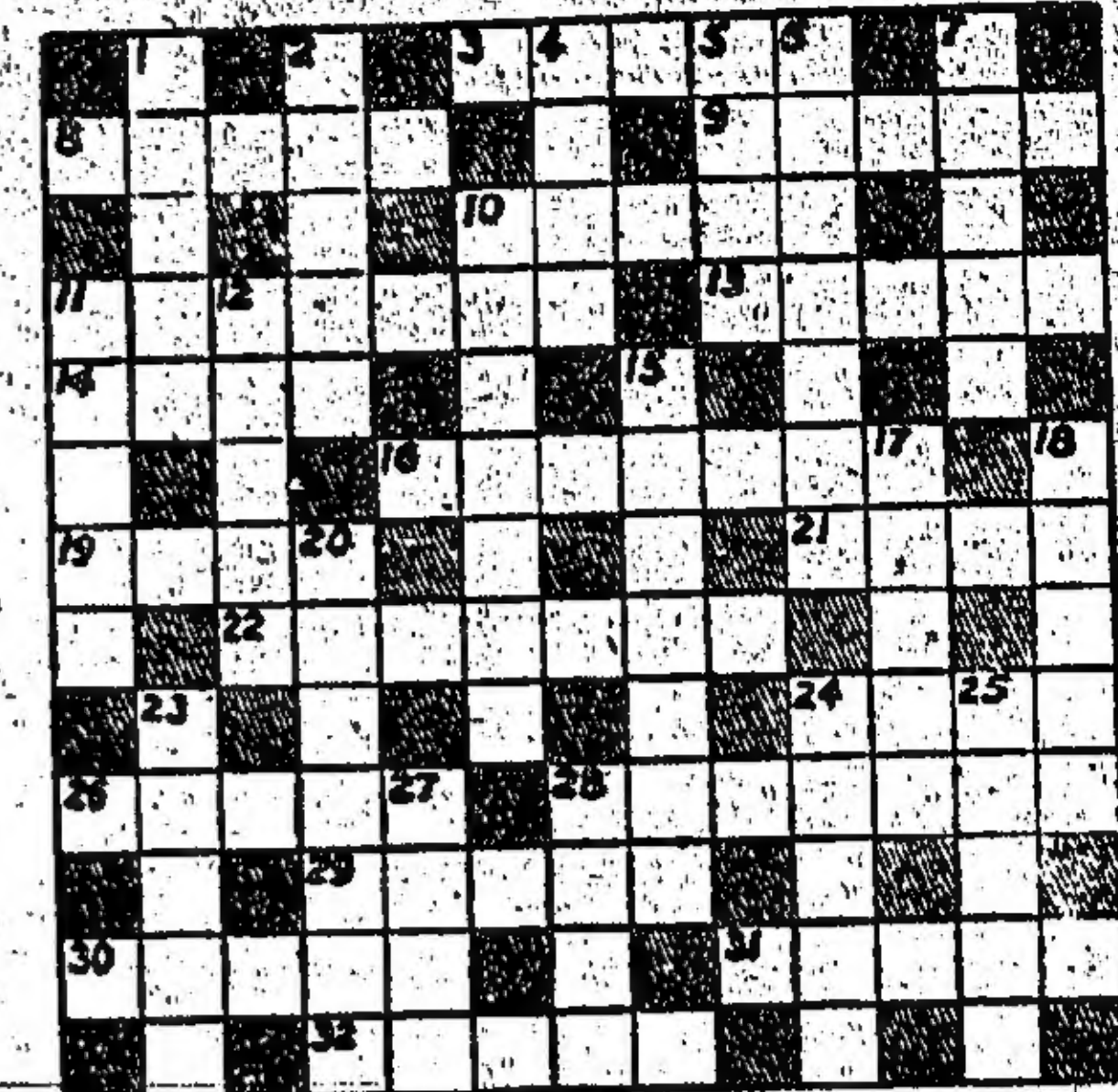
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10 Sag (5)
11 Answered (7)
13 Time period (5)
14 Without work (4)
18 Conquerors (7)
19 Cure (4)
21 Temporary shelter (4)
22 Protection (7)
24 Corn refuse (4)
26 Metal (5)
28 Place down (7)



29 Bare (5)
30 Meadows (5)
31 Swift (5)
32 Tale (5)

DOWN

1 Avarice (5)
2 Flashed (5)
4 Difficult (4)
5 Berry (4)
6 Mainstay (7)

7 Nip (5)
10 Hand over (7)
11 Correct (5)
12 Entreat (5)
15 Heaped up (7)
17 Scorches (5)
18 Keep short (5)
20 Folk tales (7)
23 Different (5)
24 Ball game (5)
25 Assisted (5)
27 Final (4)
28 Beloved (4)

SOLUTION ON MONDAY

THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

SURGEON REAR-ADMIRAL WARREN

The retirement of Surgeon Rear-Admiral Leonard Warren, O.B.E., who for 3½ years up to January, last was in charge of the R.N. Hospital at Malta. He has been over 33 years in the Navy.

FLEET AIR ARM RATINGS

Regulations for the advancement of ratings in the new Air Artificer Branch, Air Fitter and Rigger Branch, and Air Mechanic Branch are contained in Fleet Orders published. As in most instances advancement will be made in vacancies from a roster, some time must elapse before it is practicable for the necessary particulars to be rendered and for the names of men due for advancement to be determined.

The Admiralty have decided, however, that when the necessary information is available the advancements to be made from the first rendering of recommendations shall be dated from May 24, 1939, provided the men were then eligible. This was the date on which administrative control was assumed by the Rear-Admiral, Naval Air Stations, Lee-on-Solent.

AIR MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

Commander (E) P. D. Oliver, who has been appointed to the Admiralty, will join the new Department of Air Maintenance and Repair. GREENWICH HOSPITAL PENSION Paymaster Captain C. B. Davies, R.N., retired, has been awarded a Greenwich Hospital pension of £100 a year, in the vacancy created by the death of Paymaster Rear-Admiral G. A. F. Dunbar, O.B.E., retired, on May 8.

MORE NAVAL ENGINEER OFFICERS

In Fleet Orders the Admiralty announce the conditions under which a number of commissions will be granted to warrant engineers and warrant mechanics in order to assist in meeting the scarcity of engineer officers, consequent on Fleet expansion. The scheme is similar to that for the promotion of warrant officers in the executive branch.

The last officers promoted from warrant grades to lieutenant (E), after long and zealous service, with seniority of March 6 last, were about 45 years of age, or nine years above the maximum age at which the new lieutenants (E) will be selected.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty—

Capt.—C. G. B. Coltart, to Dolphin, in command, and as Capt. (S), 5th S/M Flotilla (July 15); G. C. P. Menzies, to President for service inside Admiralty (June 23); R. Shelley, to President for duty in N.I.D., Admiralty (June 3); as Naval Attache, Berlin (July 24).

Surgn. Cdr.—J. F. H. Gaussen, M.B., appt. to President for Med. Dept. Admiralty, cancelled.

Lt.-Cdr.—M. A. G. Child, to Watchman, in command (June 15).

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. (D)—W. E. L. Brigham, L.D.S., to Pembroke for R.N.B. (June 20).

Sub-Lt.—R. H. Weedon, to Walpole; C. E. Chorow, to Vanquisher; M. E. P. Ratcliffe, to Skate; J. D. Symonds, to Acasta; H. D. A. Weatherall, to Achates (June 21); J. M. Haly, to Antelope; T. F. P. U. Page, to Bittern (June 27); P. E. Nicolls, to Nigar; J. C. Coldwell, to Scimitar (June 17).

Wt. Engrs.—A. W. Munnis, to Royal Oak; A. T. Gaskett, to Dauntless (June 19); O. H. Walker, to York (June 20); S. J. Cooper, to Sussex (undated).

THE ARMY

NEW GUARDS BATTALIONS

The War Office announces the following appointments—

Major J. C. Haydon, Irish Guards, has been selected for command of the 2nd Battalion, Irish Guards, with effect from May 18, 1939.

Major Sir Alexander Stanier, M.C., Welsh Guards, has been selected for command of the 2nd Battalion, Welsh Guards.

It was announced on April 26 that the King had been pleased to approve the reformation of the 2nd Battalion, Irish Guards, and the creation of a 2nd Battalion, Welsh Guards.

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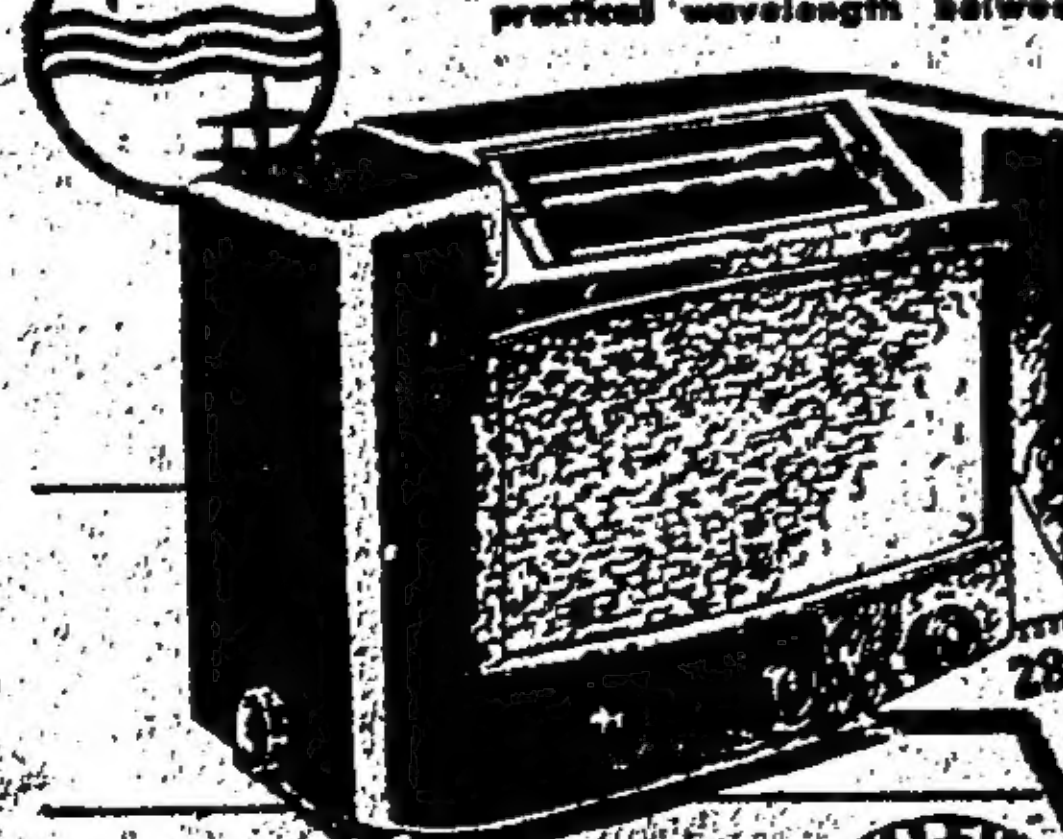
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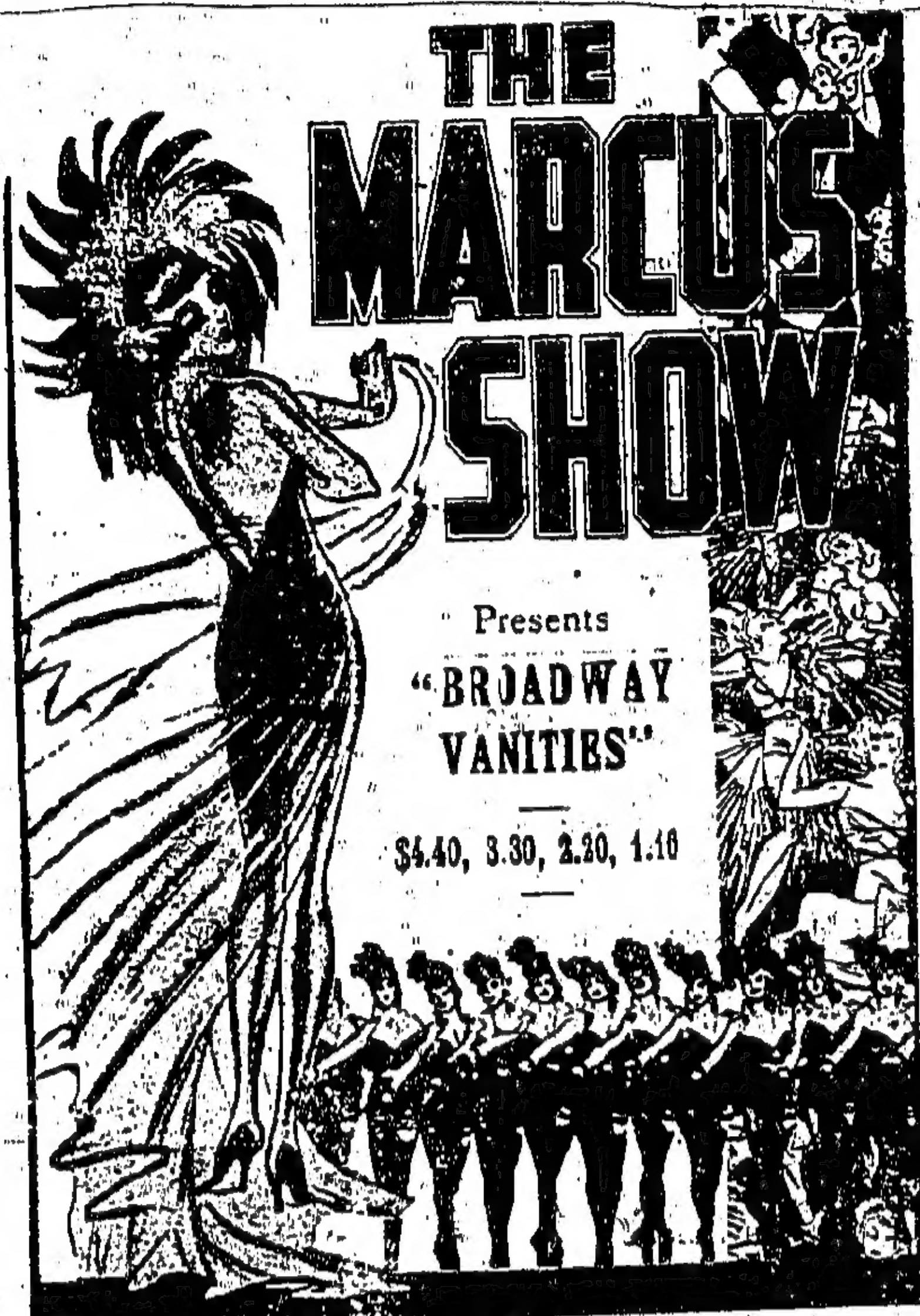
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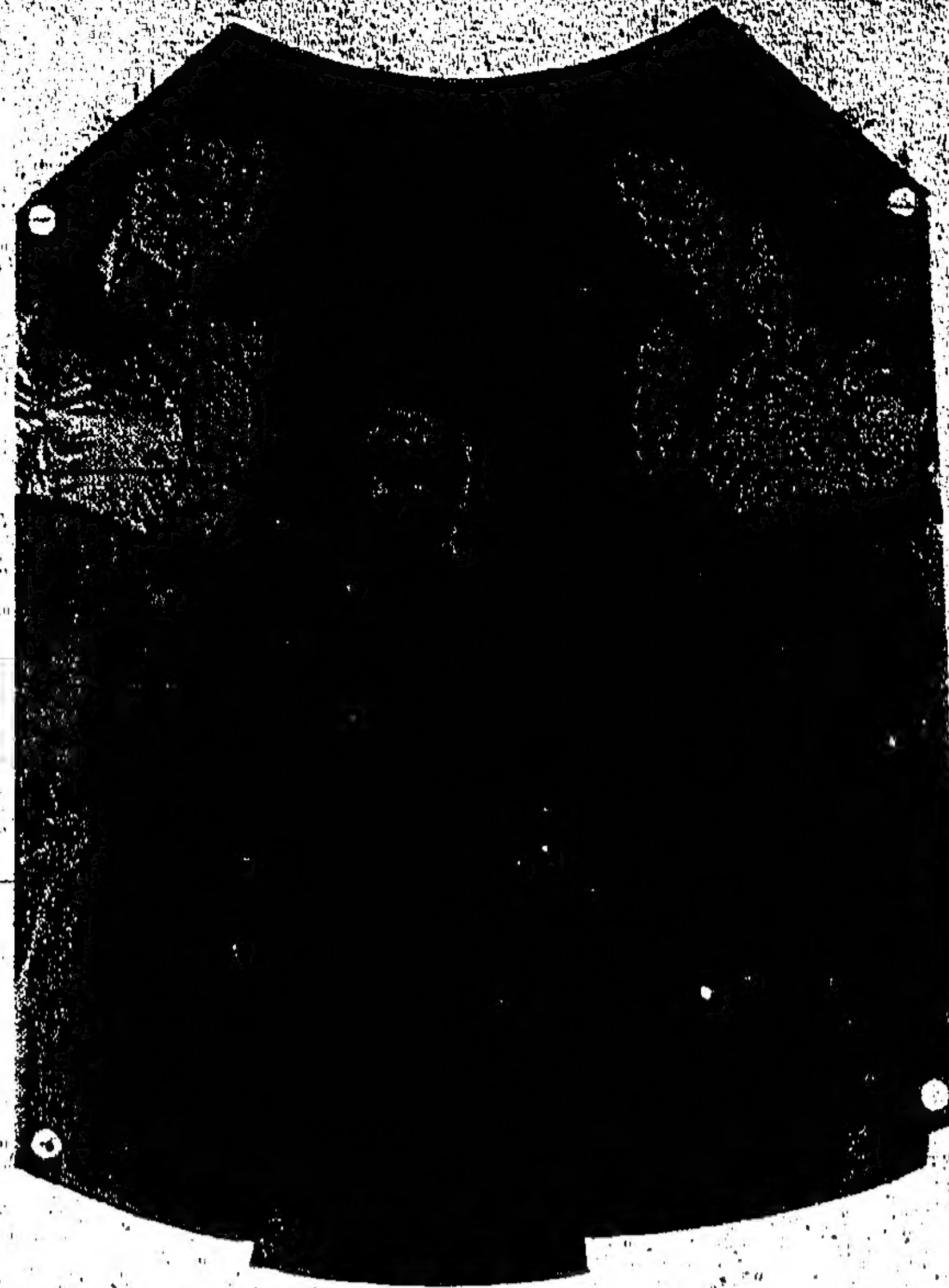
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COMING EVENTS

JULY
1-Tides: High 8.45 a.m. and 10.50 p.m. Low 1.58 a.m. and 4.49 p.m. Sunrise 5.42 a.m. Sunset 7.11 p.m. Bank Holiday.
Govt. Trained Teachers' Union Social Hotel Cecil 5 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club Moonlight Picnic. Air Raid Wardens Exam. Council Ch. 10 a.m.
Exhibition of War Pictures at Chinese Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Wedding at Eng. Methodist Church: 10 a.m. Susan-Wynne and 4.49 p.m. Entries close for Kowloon C.C. Tennis Tourney.
2-Tides: High 9.04 a.m. and 11.03 p.m. Low 2.22 a.m. and 4.05 p.m.
Watson's Baby Health Campaign. Confucius Hall, 2 p.m.
Charity Tennis Exhibition at C.R.C. 3 p.m.
Air Raid Wardens' Instructors Exam. Council Ch. 10 a.m.
Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group 8 p.m.
Speaker: Rev. K. Dow, 9 p.m.
3-Tides: High 9.37 a.m. and 11.47 p.m. Low 2.57 a.m. and 4.44 p.m.
H. K. Rotary Club. Directors Mtg. H.K. Hotel, 5.15 p.m.
Draw for Kowloon C.C. Tennis Tourney.
Motor Driving Licences due for renewal.
Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. Office, 3 p.m.
Y.M.C.A. Whist Drive 8.30 p.m.
Military Police Mess Whist and Tombola 8.30 p.m.
Exhibition of Water Colours at P.A.A. Office 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
4-American Consul-General's Reception, American Club, 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Rotary Club Closed Mtg. 1 p.m.
Silver Wedding, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Grimmit, H.K. Hotel, noon.
Y.M.C.A. Mxd. Swimming 6 p.m.
Badminton 8 p.m.
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5-Y.M.C.A. Women's Section Mah-jongg 10 a.m.
Exhibition of Water Colours at R.A.A. Office 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
H.E. the Governor at Shek-O Club 1.30 p.m.
6-Chinese Chamber of Commerce-Exhibition of New Committee.
Y.M.C.A. Military Whist Drive 8.30 p.m.
7-Art. Exhibition at Kam Ling Restaurant.
Diocesan Boys' Sch. Speech Day and Prize Giving, 5.30 p.m.
8-Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class, 10.30 a.m. Mxd. Swimming 6 p.m., Badminton 8.30 p.m.
Bowls Match: H.E. the Governor's Team v. Mr. T. E. Pearce's Team, H.K. Cricket Club 4.15 p.m.
8-Kowloon C.C. Tennis Tourney starts.
Y.M.C.A. Pinnel Dance, 8.30 p.m.
Y.M.C.A. Launch Picnic 2.30 p.m.
Diocesan Girls' Sch. Speech Day 4 p.m.
10-Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. 3 p.m.
Military Police Mess Whist and Tombola 8.30 p.m.
11-H.K. Rotary Club. Ladies Day. Speaker: Mr. C. B. Brown.
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12-Wedding at Rosary Church, Kowloon, Xavier-Gill, 3.30 p.m.
14-St. Paul's Girls' Sch. Speech Day 8.30 p.m.
Women's Health League Classes for Children start at Kowloon C.C., 8.30 a.m.
Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. 3 p.m.
17-Military Police Mess Whist and Tombola 8.30 p.m.
18-Kowloon Union Ch. Mahjongg Drive, 3 p.m.
20-Crown Land Sale (D.O. Pineshan) 11.30 a.m.
24-Entries close for All-Cycling Mtg.
Military Police Mess Whist and Tombola 8.30 p.m.
20-H.K. V.D.C. Annual Aquatic Sports V.R.C.
Anthony Brett, 24-years-old son of Mrs. Zena Dare, the actress, announced his engagement to Miss Day Brownell, daughter of Mrs. Dixon of Tregunter-road, Kensington, B. W.



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North-West Passage

King Vidor, whose last production was "The Citadel," will direct "North-West Passage." Robert Taylor, Spencer Tracy and Wallace Beery have starring roles, and much of the picture will be made on location.
The screen play, by Laurence Stallings, is based on the best-selling novel of frontier days by Kenneth Roberts. Hunt Stromberg is producer.
"North-West Passage" will be one of the principal productions on the M.G.M. schedule for the new season and will be filmed in technicolour. A year of preparatory research has been devoted to charting location sites and working out costume and historical detail.

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"FOUR'S A CROWD" AT THE KING'S

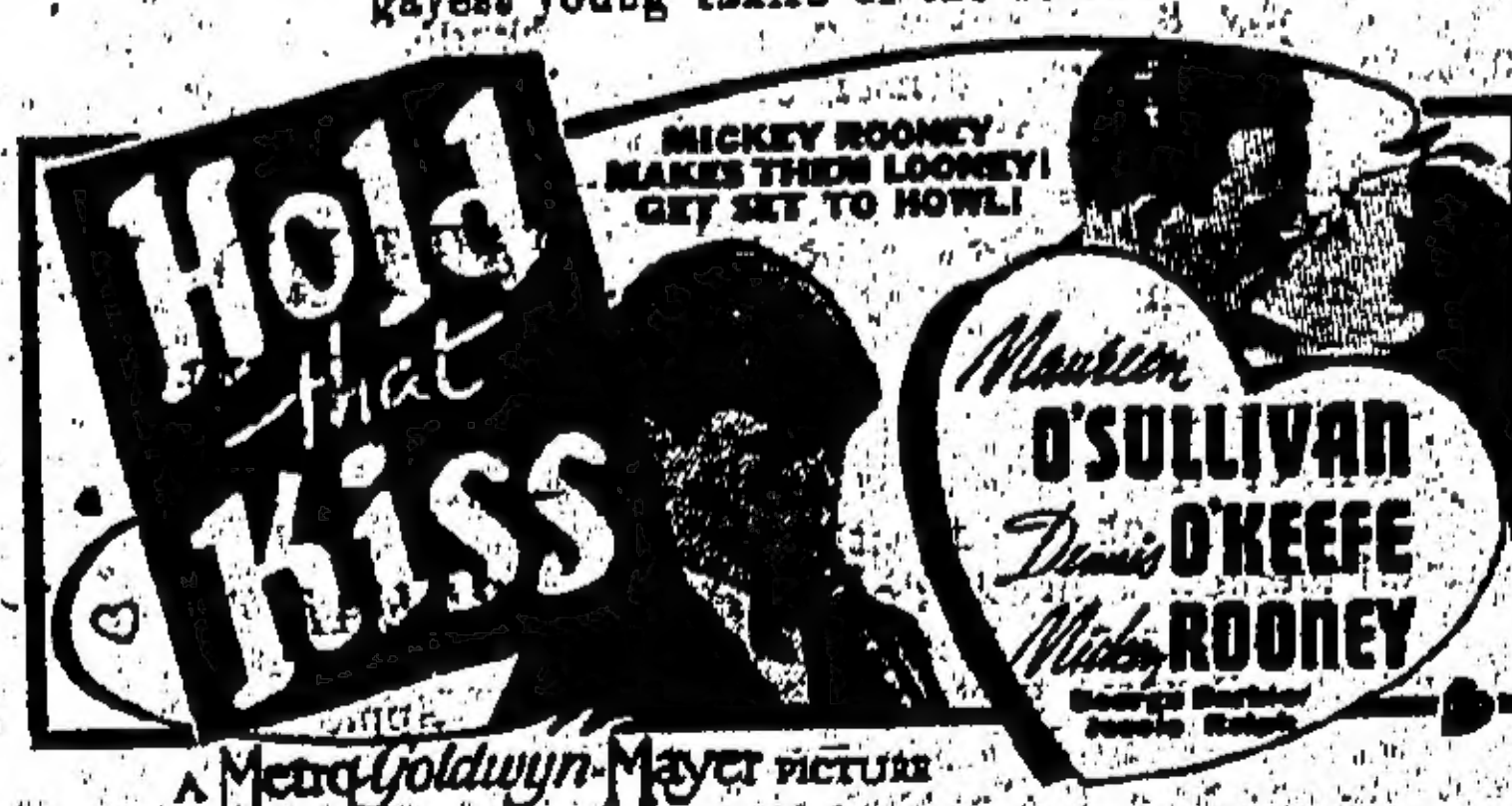
Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland, Rosalind Russell and Patric Knowles share honours in the new Warner Bros. comedy, "Four's A Crowd," which opens to-day at the King's Theatre.
"Four's A Crowd" has only one objective, and that's to make the audience laugh. It is an up-to-the-minute comedy of the American scene. The story moves along at a breathless pace, with a rapid-fire succession of novel and humorous twists.
The four persons with whose fortunes it is mainly concerned are: A bright and fascinating newspaperman, played by Errol Flynn; a spoiled but charming heiress, played by Olivia de Havilland; a clever smoothie of a girl reporter, played by Rosalind Russell; and a rich playboy, played by Patric Knowles, who inherits a newspaper.

romance and the magic of stars hanging low on a still frosty night. It has songs and laughter that seem to sail through the air like ski jumpers and Sonja's magnificent "Alice In Wonderland" ice ballet—climaxing what is by all odds her happiest screen story—is a thing to make you cry out in wonder and delight.
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LAST 4 TIMES TO-DAY

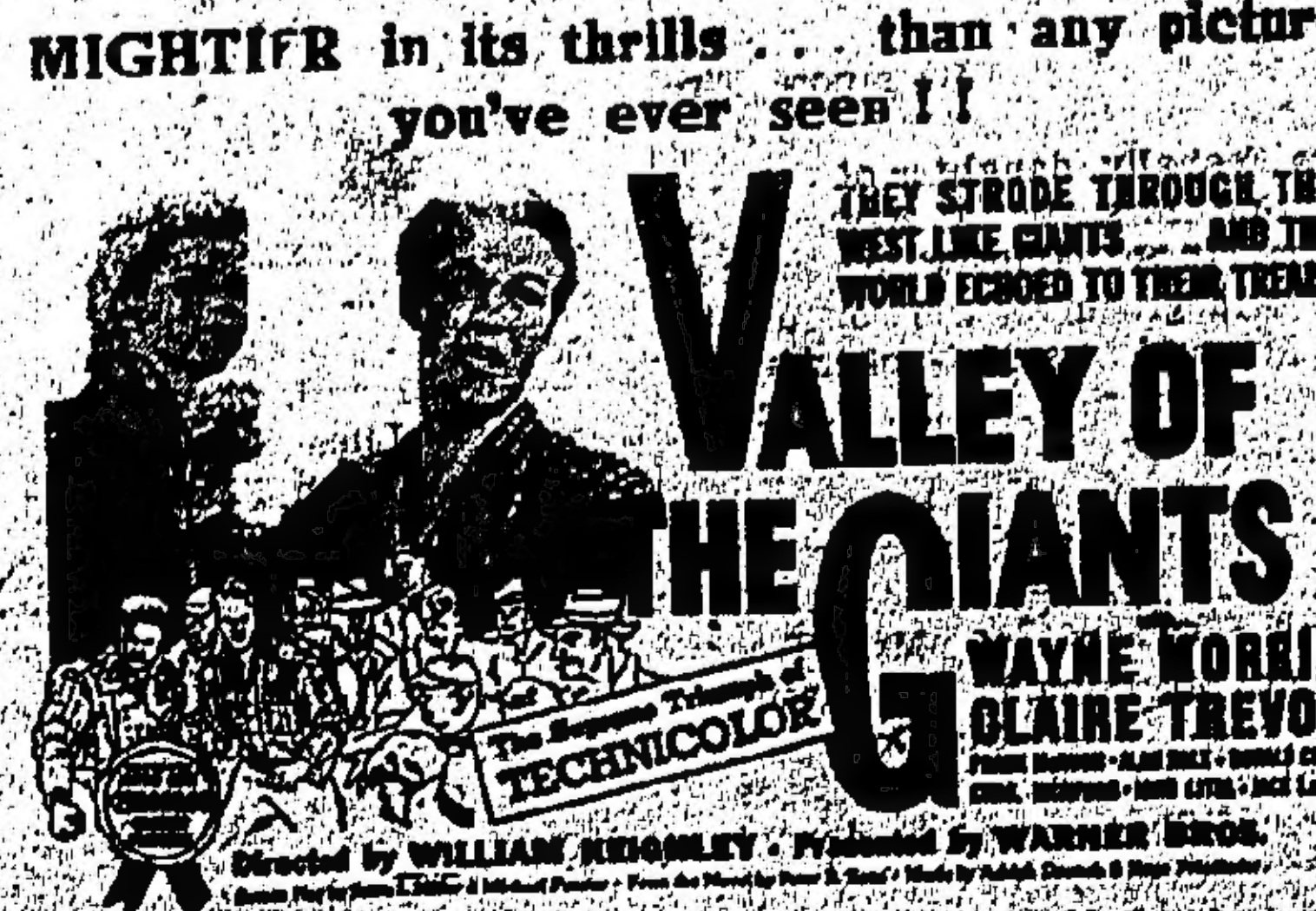
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ALSO MUSICAL COMEDY
"PUPPET LOVE"
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MY LUCKY STAR
JOAN DAVIS CESAR ROMERO BUDDY ESEN
Lionel Trogan • George Barker Louise Hovick • Billy Gilbert Patricia Wilder • Paul Hurst
Directed by Roy Del Ruth
Darryl F. Zanuck in General Production
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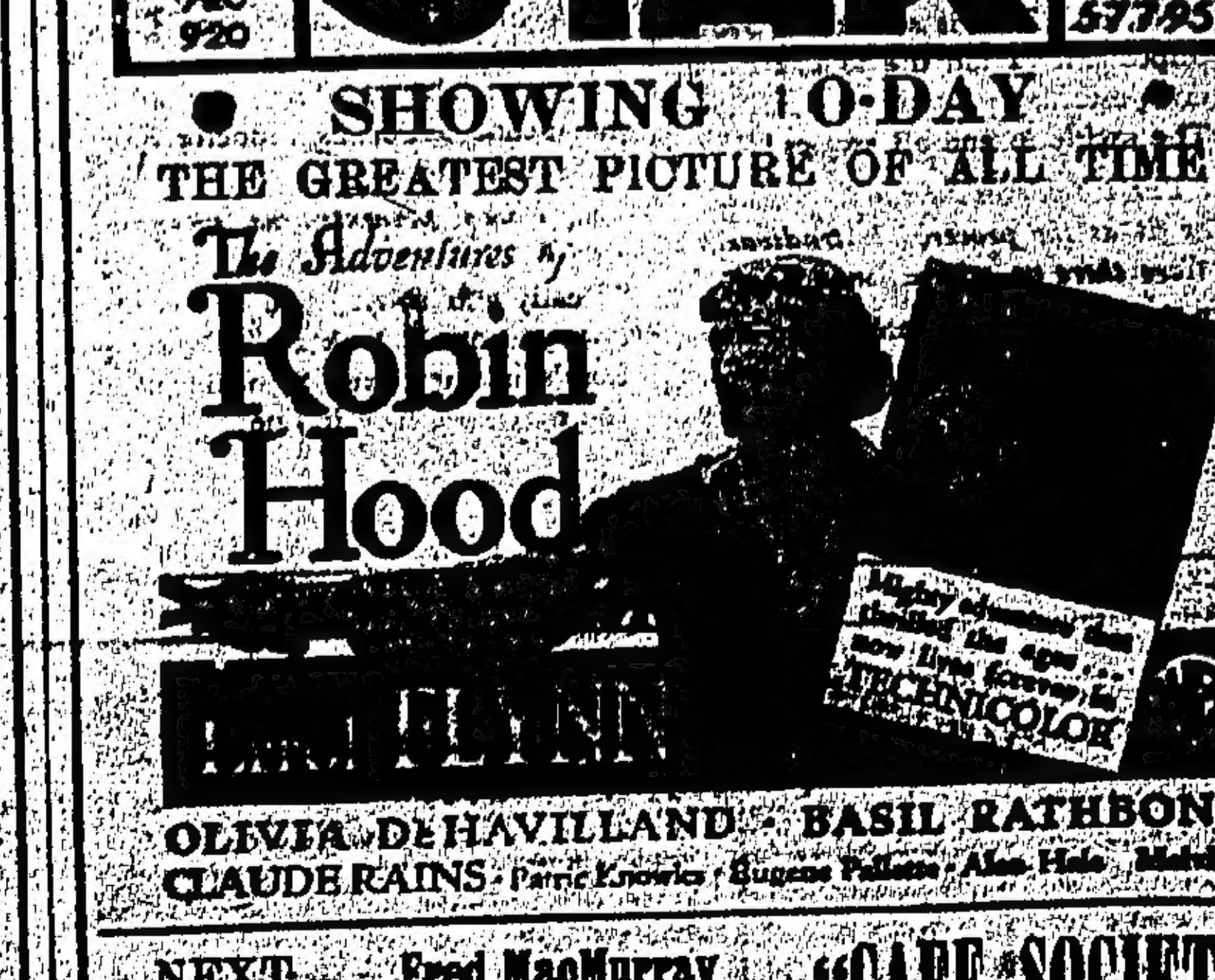
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A Gaumont-British Picture

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WOMEN'S PAGE

THIRD ANNUAL CONTEST FOR CHINESE BABIES TO-MORROW AFTERNOON

The third annual Baby Health Competition, promoted by Messrs. A. S. Watson and Company, Limited, in connection with their proprietary medicine 'Watson's Baby Water', will be held to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock at the Confucius Hall, Caroline Hill.

The contest is open to Chinese babies—consumers of Watson's Baby Water, of course—and the judges will be Dr. F. I. Tseung, Dr. K. Y. Lai and Dr. C. F. X. da Rosa.

The conditions of entry are between three and 18 months of age; the number of entries is unlimited but is conditional on two empty bottles of Baby Water being handed in on the date of making the application to enter.

The healthiest baby according to charts prepared by doctors based on age, height, weight and general physical condition will be awarded the first prize of a silver cup and \$75 cash coupon. The second prize will be a silver shield and \$50 cash coupon while the third award will also be a trophy and \$25 cash coupon.

The seventeen next best entries will receive each a consolation prize of a \$5 cash coupon.

Nestlé's Milk and Cow & Gate Products are donating the first, second and third prizes.

The programme for the day will include speeches by Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan and Mr. J. E. Jupp while the prizes will be distributed by Mrs. Ngan Shing-kwan.

Estate in Hongkong valued at \$72,500 was left by Lau Shi (Shiu) Chan (Chun), married woman, who died at No. 4, Ho Yin Nam Lo, Canton, on May 13, 1938. Grant of probate has been made to Tang Yin-wa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rowe and their daughter, en route to the Dutch East Indies, arrived in Hongkong yesterday by the Empress of Japan. Mr. Rowe is Sales Manager of the National Carbon Co., Java Ltd.

NEWSETTES

Mr. C. W. Brand, of the Fire Brigade, celebrates his birthday to-day.

Major and Mrs. E. L. Law, of the R.I. A. S. C., arrived in the Colony yesterday morning by the Empress of Japan.

The death occurred suddenly, on June 15, at Bad Wiessee, Germany, of Mr. Paul Kamp, late of Shanghai, China.

Mr. R. R. Roxburgh, of John I. Thornycroft and Co., Ltd., proceeded to Manila by the Empress of Japan, which sailed from Hongkong last night.

Judge John W. Haussermann, of Manila, passed through Hongkong yesterday on his way home from the United States in the Empress of Japan.

Erne Freedlander will exhibit a collection of water colours at the Pan-American Airways Office on July 3, 4, and 5. The exhibition will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The office of the superintendent of the Union Waterboat Co. has been removed to the 4th floor, Queen's Building (entrance in Connaught Road).

The Rev. Kenneth Dow will be leader at the Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group meeting at 9 p.m. to-morrow. The topic will be "Some Thoughts on the Old Testament."

Mr. A. E. M. Raftick, a director of the local firm of Traubmann & Co., Ltd., was a Haiphong-bound passenger on the s.s. Tak-sang, which sailed on Thursday.

Another passenger on the s.s. Tak-sang, bound for Shanghai and Haiphong, was Mr. Y. C. Shen, radio engineer, and instructor at Milton University.

Mr. A. J. Hall, of the Produce Department of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., left for Haiphong on board the s.s. Tak-sang on Thursday.

His Excellency the Governor will lunch at the Shek-O Club on Wednesday next and will play golf for the H.K.V.D.C. against Shek-O.

In accordance with Government Ordinance, the exchange banks will be closed for the transaction of public business to-day. They will also be closed at 1 p.m. on Monday.

His Excellency the Governor will be present at a reception to be given by the Consul-General for the United States and the American Community at the American Club on Tuesday next at 11.30 a.m.

The annual Speech Day and Prize Giving of the Diocesan Girls' School will take place on Saturday, July 8, at 5.30 p.m. Lady Macgregor has consented to distribute the prizes and, Sir Athol Macgregor will speak. Tea will be served in the School Grounds at 4 p.m.

The anniversary of the inauguration of the National Government will be observed with a combined memorial meeting of the National Government Headquarters and the Central Party Headquarters in Chungking to-day. Due to the present war, the public are asked not to celebrate the occasion.

Mr. Bernard Charles Jackson Buckridge, of the Singapore Fire Brigade, was married to Miss Lucy Nora Feehally, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Feehally of Devon, at St. Andrew's Cathedral. The bridegroom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Buckridge, of London. The Rev. R. E. S. Adams officiated.

The wedding took place on June 17 at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Cheam of Mr. Treor William MacDonald, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald of "Forres," Cheam, to Barbara Evelyn (Billie), youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lock, White-bourn, of "Cold Blow," Cheam. The Rev. W. Cullen, B.A., of Ashington, assisted by the Rev. E. G. Miles, M.A., officiated.

An interesting bowls match will be played at the Hongkong Cricket Club on Friday next at 4.15 p.m. between teams led by His Excellency the Governor and the Hon. Mr. T. E. Pearce, J.P.

The marriage was solemnized at St. Mary's Church, Kuala Lumpur, on June 17 between Miss Marion Doreen Knightly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Knightly, of Berhill, Sussex, and Mr. John Henry Abbott, of Nestlé and Anglo-Swiss Milk Products, Ltd., Kuala Lumpur, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Abbott, of Bromley, Kent.

At the Singapore Presbyterian Church, Capt. W. J. Holohan, Quartermaster of the 2nd Battalion, the Loyal Regiment, and Mrs. Hilda Louise Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pollard of Sydney, Australia were married by the Rev. A. A. MacPherson, Capt. Holohan is the son of the late Mr. H. Holohan and Mrs. Holohan of Belfast, Northern Ireland.

Owners of motor vehicles are notified that licences are due for renewal on Monday. To avoid delay and unnecessary waiting, licences may be forwarded through the post to the Accountant, Police Hqs., accompanied by a crossed cheque in favour of the Hongkong Government, covering the necessary fees. Licences will be returned through the post.

The engagement is announced between John Gordon Whittaker, Royal Artillery, only son of the late Mr. John Whittaker, of Shaw Hill, Chorley, Lancashire, and Mrs. John Whittaker, Dean's Orchard, Mere, Wilts, and Wendy Willocks, only daughter of Major J. L. Willocks, D.S.O., M.C., late The Black Watch, Commissioner of Prisons, Hongkong, and Mrs. Willocks, of Hongkong and Cranleigh, Surrey.

Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Sino-American Institute of Cultural Relations, will entertain Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, United States Ambassador to China, at a tea reception to-day. A number of leading American nationals in Chungking, as well as members of the diplomatic and consular services, have been invited to the reception.

A monster petition signed by over 230 prominent residents, traders, planters and property-owners of Perak has been forwarded to His Excellency the High Commissioner of the F.M.S., Sir Shenton Thomas, G.C.M.G., O.B.E., urging the construction of a second road to the Cameron Highlands. At present there is only one road to the Cameron Highlands and the petitioners feel that should a second road be constructed greater development will be possible at the Highlands, which would be a valuable asset for the supply of food in a time of crisis or possible blockade.

SATURDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Apple Juice
Cereal
Fried Eggs & Ham
Muffins
Coffee

LUNCHEON

Noodle Soup
Fruit Salad
Corn-Beef Hash
Asparagus
Potato Cakes
Lima Beans
French Pastry
Iced Tea

DINNER

Tomato Juice Cocktail
Grilled Sardines
Meat Loaf with Pickle Stuffing
Baked Beans
Potatoes au Gratin
Carrot Soufflé
Meringue Tart
Iced Coffee

FOUR CHINESE WEDDINGS AT THE REGISTRY

Four Chinese couples were married yesterday at the Registry, Supreme Court, the Deputy Registrar of Marriages, Mr. T. J. Gould, officiating at all ceremonies. The parties were:—

Mr. Chen Chen-tung, teacher of the Lingnam Middle School, and Miss Learl Lu, of No. 4, Ladder Street;

Mr. Chan Kar-yee, merchant, of No. 3, Kam Shan Street, and Miss Auyeung Kwai-king, of No. 5, Yan Hing Street, Tai Po Market;

Mr. Ma Yue-kwong, aeronautical engineer, of No. 38, Village Road, and Miss Eva Tam, of the Public Dispensary, Kowloon City;

Mr. Lim On-kwang, merchant, of No. 9, Salisbury Road, and Miss Aw Sau-cha, of No. 33, Canton Road.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:—

Mr. Alexander Andrew Bremner, chartered accountant, of "Alandale," Pokfulam, and Miss Monica Soady Thompson, nursing sister, of the Kowloon Hospital;

Mr. Leung Lee-chee, civil servant of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, of No. 10, Tai Wo Street, Lung Kong Market, Wai-yeung District, Kwangtung, and Miss Ng Po-ling, of No. 438, Nathan Road, first floor;

Mr. Chen Hsin-ming, telegraphist, of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., and Miss Ngai Shek-hing, of No. 58, Lockhart Road, third floor.

Over half a million dollars (Chinese currency) was collected by the China Relief Fund Committee in Singapore on June 18 as a result of their novel idea of commemorating Dragon-Boat Festival. For the occasion, the s.s. "Hong Peng" was chartered for a cruise in Singapore waters and the tickets, which had been sold beforehand, realised over half a million dollars Chinese currency.

A number of public bodies in Chungking have jointly addressed a telegram to the Chinese residents in the British and French Concessions in Tientsin, expressing sympathy in their sufferings and inconveniences as a result of the Japanese blockade. The telegram also urged them to continue their struggle against Japanese oppression with an undaunted spirit.



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TEE FOR ONE

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"Certainly, my dear fellow, but may I ask you why? You haven't got engaged, I hope?"

"No, no. This is something really important. I did the fourteenth in one yesterday. A blow in a million! The swipe to end all swipes!"

"But I don't understand. You look as fit as the proverbial Stradivarius. Were there no celebrations?"

"Celebrations? There's been nothing like it since the Relief of Mafeking."

"Perhaps I'm dense, but I still don't understand. Forgive my bluntness, but where's the hangover?"

"Hangover? Haven't you heard? There aren't any nowadays. You just drink Ginis, or take a long glass of Rose's Lime Juice after the jamboree. It's just a question of therapeutic action as a doctor once described it to me."

"So Rose's prevents the morning after?"

"Really, truly. You know, old boy, you ought to keep a bottle of Rose's in your locker. Some day even you may do a hole in one!"



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BANKRUPTCY COURT PETITIONS FOR RECEIVING ORDERS AGAINST TWO CHINESE FIRMS

Petitions for receiving orders against the Mercantile Manufacturing Company and the Leong Sun Kee firm were heard by the Chief Justice, Sir Adolph MacGregor, in the Bankruptcy Court yesterday.

In the first case, the petition was brought by the American Express Company, who were represented by Mr. J. T. Prior.

An interim receiving order had been made against the debtor firm, said Mr. Prior, and the Official Receiver had been appointed Interim Receiver.

The assets of the firm were not sufficient to pay a 15 per cent. dividend, as required in bankruptcy cases. The proprietor, Lau Hoo-tau, had absconded just before the petition was filed, and affidavits filed disclosed fraud on the part of Lau.

No Judgment Creditors
Mr. Prior said that there were no judgment creditors. The liabilities were between \$200,000 and \$300,000, while the assets were estimated at between \$7,000 and \$8,000, so that the dividend available for distribution would be very small after deduction of costs.

The assets were made up of \$4,000 deposited with the Oversea-Chinese Banking Corporation, under the name of the Cheung Luen Manufacturing Co., on which evidence would be called to show that Lau was the sole proprietor, and the remainder in goods consigned through the Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.

His Lordship granted the receiving order and also leave to amend the petition to include the Cheung Luen Manufacturing Co.

ALTERNATIVE CLAIM.

A similar petition was brought against the Leong Sun Kee firm by the Sincere Co. (Perfumery Manufacturers), Ltd.

Mr. M. M. Watson, for the petitioners, said the petition was somewhat unusual because there was an alternative claim for the winding up in bankruptcy of the estate of Leong Yat-tung, proprietor of the debtor firm, who died about 18 months ago.

Mr. C. D'Almada, for Kan Lee-sheung, the widow, said he had no objection to the petition, although he would like it to be adjourned for a month.

Mr. Watson said he opposed the application because it was not actually known who would be the real representative of deceased as his son had also put forward a claim that he was.

His Lordship said he would adjourn the petition until Wednesday next.

KING'S MESSAGE TO GOVERNOR

In response to the message of felicitation sent by H. E. the Governor to the King and Queen on the occasion of their journey to America, the following reply has now been received from His Majesty through the Secretary of State, London:

"On the King's return from his visit to Canada and the United States, your telegram No. 170 was laid before His Majesty who desires that an expression of his sincere thanks for the message contained therein may be conveyed to you."

H.K. UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS TO BE LIMITED

It is notified for general guidance that, in view of the need for limiting the number of admissions to the University during 1936-40, preference will be given to those applications which are received before August 19, 1936.

Applications will not be accepted from candidates who have not already passed the Matriculation, or an equivalent examination, at the date on which the applications are submitted.

TWO POLICE OFFICERS FOR TRIAL

MONEY DEMAND AND EXTORTION CHARGES

Un Shu-ki, Police Interpreter, and Joseph Herbert Edward Edwards, Sub-Inspector of Police, both of Hongkong Police Station, were committed to stand their trial at the criminal sessions, the former on charges of extortion and demanding money with menaces, and the latter on a charge of demanding money with menaces, when lower court proceedings were concluded before Mr. E. Himsforth, at the Kowloon Court yesterday.

Un is accused of having received a sum of \$110 from a foreman carpenter of the Kowloon Docks, Lau Hei-yuk, at the Hip On Club, Gillies Avenue, Hongkong, on April 23, and of having demanded from him \$120.

Edwards is alleged to have been present at a conversation between the first defendant and Lau Hei-yuk, when the former is stated to have demanded from Lau "wine money" for the Inspector as a guarantee that no charge of uttering counterfeit coins aboard a motor-bus would be preferred against him.

Edwards, who is on bail of \$100, is being represented by Mr. G. S. Hugh-Jones, and Un, who is on bail of \$250, is being represented by Mr. C. D'Almada.

INOCULATION CENTRES

The following inoculation centres for the issue of certificates for intending passengers to Macao will be open to-day:

- (a) The Vaccination Centre, Harbour Office, open all day;
- (b) C Block, Government Civil Hospital, open in the afternoon only;

On Sunday, the only centre open will be C Block, Government Civil Hospital, open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

MARRIED WOMAN CHARGED

Appearing before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday charged with failing to register with the S.C.A. the possession of a ward, a married woman, Chan Kam, was remanded for one week on the application of Inspector H. W. Fraser, of the S.C.A. It was alleged that the girl was forced to practice prostitution.

URBAN COUNCIL MEETING

A meeting of the Urban Council will be held on Tuesday next, July 4, at 4.15 p.m.

The meeting will consider correspondence on the subject of the provision of water-storage cisterns or tanks in eating houses and restaurants.

Three applications for eating house licences, one for offensive trade and one for a milk shop will come up for consideration.

COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Twenty-eight cases of tuberculosis and thirteen cases of cholera (one imported) were notified to the Health Department on June 29, in addition to six cases of enteric fever, three cases of dysentery and one case each of diphtheria and measles.

Victor Lakin, British subject, was charged before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday with being a vagrant in the Colony. He was discharged. Sgt. Loughlin said the defendant will leave shortly for Singapore where he will join a ship.

MARCUS SHOW SHOULD NOT BE MISSED

"Broadway Vanities" At The Queen's

Theatre-goers who have not yet seen the famous Marcus Show at the Queen's Theatre should not miss the opportunity to watch a batch of performers such as they are not likely to see for a long time to come, as the Show is definitely booked to leave Hongkong in the Empress of Japan on Friday next, July 7.

In view of the imminent departure of the troupe, there are only six more days, including to-day, in which to see what is acclaimed as the best show ever seen in the Colony.

During their stay here, the performers will put on three different shows. The entire programme will be changed on each occasion and not a single item will be repeated.

To-day and to-morrow, the programme will be "Broadway Vanities" on Monday and Tuesday, the programme will be entitled "Marcus Follies of 1936," and Wednesday and Thursday will see the final showings entitled "La vie Parisienne."

Those who witnessed the first two performances are unanimous in their opinion that it would be hard to find another travelling troupe which excels the Marcus Show.

NAVY AND ARMY CHIEFS DUE BACK IN COLONY TO-DAY

Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, and Major-General A. E. Grasett, General Officer Commanding the British Troops in China, are due to arrive from Singapore in H.M.S. Kent at 7.45 a.m. to-day.

The Commander-in-Chief will leave for Weihaiwei on Monday morning.

PASSENGERS BY S.S. TAKSANG

The following passengers have left the Colony on board the S.S. Taksang, which sailed on Thursday for Haiphong and Shanghai:

For Haiphong and Shanghai: Mr. Hsu, Mrs. Chao and child, Mrs. Lo, Mrs. Chang and 2 children, Mr. Chang, Mr. Y. C. Shen; For Haiphong: Mrs. Tan Giah Chai and 2 children, Mr. F. T. Tehou, Mr. A. E. M. Bafek, Mr. Tan Giah Chai, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. A. J. Hall, the Rev. Sister M. O. Jobin, the Rev. Sister M. Kanito, Mr. Mark C. Wei, Mr. K. Y. Chan, Mr. Tsui Tsung, Mrs. Lin Chow Mei Fung and 2 children, Mr. Sui Slang Tehou, Mr. Tong On Lan, Mr. Tchan Wen Tsan, Mr. Kwok Yik Yau, Mr. and Mrs. Yeh Wan Chun.

MEN OF WAR IN HARBOUR

The following men of war were in harbour yesterday:—

Gunboats: Tarantula, Moth and Seaweed.
Submarines: Phoenix.
Destroyers: Thracian and Diana.
Foreign men of war:—American: Mindanao and Tulsa; French: Argus.

SURPRISE RAID

Appearing before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday charged with the possession of 14 ounces of heroin powder and 9,500 heroin pills at No. 141, Second Street on June 13, Tseung Shu-chu and Tsui Shing were committed to the Criminal Sessions.

Mr. F. X. D'Almada appeared for the first defendant. A party of revenue officers, under R. O. Colledge made a surprise raid on the floor on the day in question.

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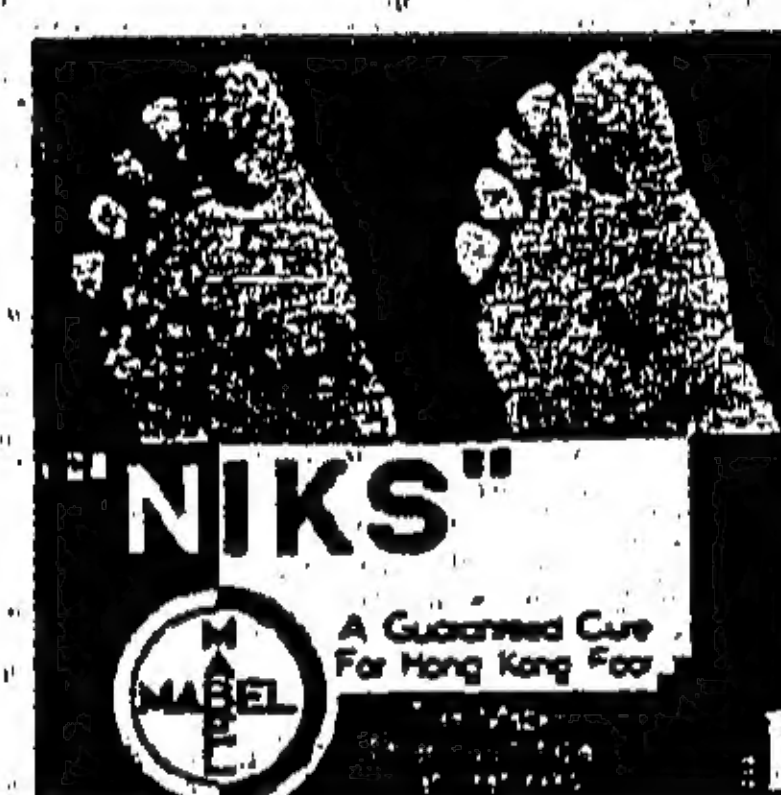
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Dorado, Delphinus—5 and 4 p.m.
SOUTHBOUND
Tuesday: Hanoi, Bangkok, Denpasar, 7 a.m.

Air France:
SOUTHBOUND
Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hongkong.
Service—12.30 p.m.

Pan American Airways:
EASTWARD
Wednesday: U. S. A., Manila, Hongkong.
Boeing Clipper—2 p.m.
WESTWARD
Thursday: Manila, U.S.A.
Boeing Clipper—8.30 a.m.

SHIPPING

MOVEMENTS

The P. & O. steamer Alipore left Kobe on June 25 and is due here on July 1 at 5 p.m.

The B. & S. steamer Memnon is expected to arrive here from Singapore on July 2 at 6 a.m.

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W. J. ANDERSON,
Controller of Stores.

Hong Kong, 30th June, 1939.

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NOTICE

Mr. B. O. Blaker, A.C.A. begs to announce his retirement from Messrs. Thomson & Co. as from 30th June, 1939, after which date his interest and responsibility therein will cease.

Hong Kong, 30th June, 1939.

NOTICE

We regret to announce that Mr. B. O. Blaker, A.C.A. is retiring from our firm as from 30th June, 1939, after which date his interest and responsibility as a partner will cease.

THOMSON & CO.,
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Hong Kong, 30th June, 1939.

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HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF INTERIM DIVIDEND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR per cent (4%) for the six months ending 30th June, 1939, amounting to FORTY cents per share on the Fully Paid Up Shares and TEN cents per share on the Partly Paid Up Shares of the Company will be paid on TUESDAY, the 11th July, 1939, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building, 4th Floor.

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By order of the Board of Directors,
W. L. MCKENZIE,
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Hong Kong, 5th June, 1939.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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Hong Kong, 1st July, 1939.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by mutual consent Mr. John Hennessey Seth, F.S.A.A. retired from our firm and his interest and responsibility ceased as at 30th June, 1939.

Mr. William Lodge Alexander, Chartered Accountant, has been admitted a partner as from 1st July, 1939, and the practice will be carried on by Messrs. Sydney Hampden Ross, A.C.A., F.S.A.A., and William Lodge Alexander, C.A. under the firm name and style of Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming, Chartered Accountants.

PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING.

Hong Kong, 1st July, 1939.

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WATER SUPPLY

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ISLAND.

The water will be shut off on alternate nights from 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. commencing at 10 p.m. on the 1st of July.

MAINLAND.

The water will be shut off on alternate nights from 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. commencing at 10 p.m. on the 2nd of July.

A. G. W. TICKLE,
Water Authority.

Public Works Department.

Hong Kong, 29th June, 1939.

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UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG.

Vacancies will shortly occur in the post of First Assistant to the Professor of Medicine and of 2nd Assistant to the Professor of Surgery.

Applications should be addressed to the Dean, Faculty of Medicine, so as to reach him on or before July 3rd, 1939.

W. B. FINNIGAN,
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Hong Kong, 29th June, 1939.

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HONGKONG, JULY 1, 1939

LORD HALIFAX SPEAKS OUT

SELDOM has a British diplomat resorted to such plain speaking as that which marked the address on Britain's foreign policy by Viscount Halifax before the Royal Institute of International Affairs. In vigorous and unmistakable terms and "boldly and with such boldness of speech as I can command," H.M. Foreign Secretary discussed in detail various international issues raised as challenges by the totalitarian states. British policy, he made it very clear, rests on twin foundations of purpose, a determination to resist force and a recognition of the world's desire to get on with constructive work in building up peace. To-day, he asserted, the threat of military force is holding the world to ransom and, therefore, the immediate task for Great Britain is to resist aggression and to fulfil her pledges with her whole strength.

AFTER CALLING attention to the commitments into which H.M. Government had entered during the past year, Lord Halifax said that Britain was preparing to assume more obligations with a full understanding of their causes and their consequences. Such great changes could not have been brought about had they not been backed by a deep conviction on the part of the British people.

DRAWING ATTENTION to the campaign of misrepresentation of Britain's actions and her motives, which, he said, were resented by the British people and which did not pass unnoticed, the speaker referred to the Far Eastern situation when he added,

"Nor do provocative insults to our fellow-countrymen further aid 'pass unnoticed'. I can say at once that we are not prepared to yield either to calumnies or to force. Every insult offered to our people, every rule of conduct to which we value and are determined to defend only unites us and increases our determination and strengthens our loyalty to those others who share our feelings and aspirations. Over a large part of the world, old standards of conduct and of ordinary human decency which man had laboriously built up are being set aside; things are being done to-day which we can hardly read without amazement, so alien are they to our conception of how men should deal with their fellow-men. Rules of conduct between nations are over-ridden by the same callous indifference as rules of conduct between man and man."

LORD HALIFAX denied that there are any attempts to isolate Germany or to encircle that country. The real facts are very simple. Everybody knows them: Germany is isolating herself and doing it most successfully and completely and, such being the case, she is inviting criticism for her failure to co-operate with other nations and on account of her policy of racialism. There is, as the Foreign Secretary rightly pointed out, ample scope for extending to all nations an opportunity of larger economic life with all that is meant in the term "Lebensraum." If the world were organized on co-operative lines, neither Germany nor Italy need fear for their own safety as no society of nations can be built upon force in a world which lives in fear of violence and has to spend its substance in preparing to resist it. It is idle to cry "Peace" where there is no peace or to pretend to reach a settlement unless it can be guaranteed by a reduction of warlike preparations and by assured recognition of the right of each

Hello & Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

More information is coming down from North China, regarding the "much discussed" Russian-Chinese Air route which will follow the old "Silk" route used in the time of the Tang Dynasty, and which took half a year to cover.

The present plans call for an air mail and passenger service between Russia and China. It will be shared. From Chungking the route goes to Hanoi, where a transfer of planes takes place, and then on to Urumchi and Almaty.

This city, Almaty, only a few years ago was practically a "jumping-off" place, quite obscure and only sporadically inhabited by nomad Mahomedans. However, the Soviet has made it into a busy town and centre of aviation.

Imperial Airways:

ON THURSDAY, at 5.45 p.m., Captain Joe Davies deposited an additional airplane, the "Dardanus," for Imperial Airways' service, at Kai Tak.

Mr. E. J. Burn came flying up from Singapore. The Government Inspector for Aircraft left the Colony several weeks ago, but his attention is needed regarding Imperial Airways' transports which have been having their "ups and downs" in the past month.

Mr. C. C. Cribb and a Mr. Ridge-well are Imperial Airways' engineers and they have come to inspect the ground-work of their company's airplanes.

Bangkok Bound:

CAPTAIN A. B. DYKES and Captain J. N. Wilson went dashing down to Bangkok, in the "Delphinus" and "Dorado," respectively, on Friday at 7 and 7.30 a.m.

Mr. Norman Lee, flying photographer, reporter for "Life" magazine continued on his journey round the world by air. In the southern capital he catches a K.L.M. plane for Europe.

Mr. J. D. Greenway, Commercial Counsellor attached to the British Embassy, China, held a ticket for London. However, he is planning several stops along the Empire route of Imperial Airways.

Mr. E. K. Holtzworth, Imperial Airways' inspection engineer went to Bangkok to see the ground work of his planes in the southern city.

Fan American Airways

THURSDAY, 8.40 a.m. the China Clipper was away for San Francisco, via Manila. Business-tripping to Manila was Mr. H. H. Priestly, of China Air-motive Co.

And Mr. Ko Fook-sing, of Hong-kong, commenced a world inspection. He will fly to San Francisco, take a look at the United States and Canada, then across the Atlantic by air. Europe will hold his attention, for several weeks and possibly he will fly back to Hong-kong through India. This gentleman's main interest on the journey will be banks and all the ways and means of the business.

Mr. Jose L. Maten is another business traveller, his destination is Manila.

President Cleveland

MID-NIGHT on Thursday the American President Line's President Cleveland left Hongkong for America, via Shanghai and Japan.

Mr. Y. C. Chang and Mr. S. C. Tong, executives of the Central Trust Company of China, departed for Shanghai. Their farewell was crowded with friends and relations all down at the shipside to give them a loud and gay bon voyage.

Sailing to Shanghai was Mr. F. Altenburg, Consul-General in Canton. Unfortunately, we could not locate this traveller early in the evening for a few stories on the Chinese city.

M. H. Cosme, French Ambassador to China, called on his way to Shanghai. When this distinguished, small gentleman arrived in the Colony on Wednesday by Air France direct from Paris, he had little to say regarding present af-

nation to enjoy freely its own independence.

IT WAS A LITTLE unfortunate that the Foreign Secretary failed to deal more explicitly with the position of Great Britain in the Far East as such a declaration would have been more than welcome in this part of the world but there is every reason to believe that London is not closing her eyes out here and that she intends, come what may, to uphold her legal rights and to refuse to yield to force. The tail of the lion cannot be pulled too often or too long.

TIENTSIN BLOCKADE: BRITISH REACTIONS

OPPOSITION PRESS URGES ORGANIZED MOVE AGAINST FURTHER JAPANESE ACTION

BY JACK CHEN

LONDON, June 19—Events in Tientsin and other anti-British activities of the Japanese are front page news in the British press. All sections of opinion realise that these actions are intended by the Japanese to lead to complete exclusion of British and all other foreign interests from China... except on Japan's terms. The Tientsin blockade is regarded as a test case.

Newspapers close to the Government urge the Japanese to "localise" their demands and not push the matter further than a settlement of the case of the four Chinese arrested on suspicion of terrorist activities.

They emphasise that the British proposals for a neutral committee of enquiry are still open. There is not much hope, however, that the Japanese will heed this advice except under considerable diplomatic or economic pressure backed up by a convincing show of force.

The question is: Is Britain prepared to apply that pressure? Can she mobilise her "potential democratic allies" in a common policy of defence of their mutual interests?

OPPOSITION VIEWS:

The Opposition (Liberal and Labour) press point out that present events are the logical outcome of the "Appeasement Policy" followed by the National Government ever since the Japanese invasion of Manchuria in 1931. They insist that a stand must now be organised against further Japanese attacks on British and other foreign interests.

"Scrutator" in the Conservative "Sunday Times" writes that heavy risks will be run if Britain resorts to sanctions in protection of her rights, that "war with Japan would be, indeed, a serious risk with Europe in its present unsettled state," and warns against the "mistake of underestimating the power of the Japanese Navy and the strategic influence that it might have in a great war."

But he concludes that "even so, the risks, whatever they are, would have to be met in preference to the extinction in favour of Japan of our political and commercial rights in the Far East."

Economic sanctions, "a raid on the Yen," tariff discrimination, or an embargo on Japanese

It is unfortunate however that the Chamberlain Government does not as yet seem anxious to give such a lead.

The long delayed and protracted Anglo-Soviet negotiations strongly indicate this, and it is the cause of much critical impatience on the part of the Opposition parties, the Young Conservatives and Mr. Churchill's group.

NEW CRISIS NEAR:

A new crisis may arise in Europe at any moment. August is now rumoured to be the month of the next "Big Push" by Nazi Germany. Thus, the British Government is charged of sending increased military forces to the Far East to back up its rights and damaged prestige.

It would apparently welcome a compromise agreement with Japan (if the latter did not drive too hard a bargain) as a temporary settlement of the present dangerous situation while preparations are pushed ahead for the final showdown.

Chang Yuch, puppet magistrate of Kiangsu in Kiangsu, was killed by Chinese guerrillas recently, states a Shanghai report.

a conviction recorded for the offence in the Central Court recently) are open to players day and night, and the steady stream of visitors would suggest a thriving business.

Meisurly and unhurried stroll yesterday, conducted by a star representative of the "Hongkong Daily Press" through the three districts, found three such "dart and cigarette" shops in Yau-mat, Mong-kok, and four each in Mong-kok district and Shumshuipo.

"THE GAME OF DARTS" AS PLAYED IN H.K.

A new game has stolen a march on all other games that have, in the past, laid a firm hold on the enthusiasm of the young bloods, the gay blades, and the old iron-sides of the gambling public of Yau-mat, Mong-kok, and Shumshuipo.

The new game is not Chinaborn. Its origin may without difficulty be traced back to the omnipresent "pub" of the English countryside, where the original is yet played with great gusto.

The variant is played day and night, and with even greater gusto, at several addresses in Yau-mat, Mongkok, and Shumshuipo districts. The original is the English game of darts, the delight of the smart fellow who has learned to play it for the price of a mug of ale, but in Hongkong—alas—the game is not played in the traditional manner!

The game as played in Kowloon's overpopulated areas, where even the pride and joy of the family has to seek escape from pressure of relatives and from being trampled upon should he seek to lengthen his time in the crowded cubicles that serve as homes, has many dissimilar points from the traditional "Game of Darts."

HOW DIFFERENT!

One varying point in the local game from the approved English game is the non-existence on the board of the "Bull's Eye" in the centre. And there are even no numbers—1 to 20 or 1, 5, 10, 20, and 50—painted on the board.

The board is not even circular in shape. It is rectangular, and subdivided into some 100 to 150

small squares, diagonally placed, and of five colours—usually red, yellow, blue, white, and black—and no two squares of the same colour adjacent to one another.

And, even more distasteful to Jim Smith and Tom Brown, were they to want to play the game, would be the fact that neither would be allowed to throw a single dart!

The dart-thrower is a third party to the game. His particular job is to throw the dart, and that only after all wagers have been placed with the bank.

ODDS ON THROWER!

Odds are three to one, a far call from the five to one to be offered in a friendly game, with no bank to remain unbroken. And odds are also on the dart-thrower. He either hits the least heavily backed square or loses his job.

However, there really is no cash prize offered, although cash prizes may usually be obtained if applied for. Ah Wah, your cook-boy, if he wins, gets paid in cigarettes, of which the "Dart Game and Cigarette" shops carry a large stock.

So, if the cook-boy smokes a much more expensive brand of cigarettes than you do, you may guess where he was last night! The dart games of Yau-mat, Mong-kok, and Shumshuipo (and we may add of Hongkong) there has been

BRITAIN NOT PREPARED TO YIELD TO CALUMNIES OR FORCE

Lord Halifax Reaffirms Resolve To Fulfil Pledge To Resist Aggression

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter).—In the event of further aggression, we are resolved to use at once the whole of our strength in fulfilment of our pledges to resist it," said Lord Halifax, the British Foreign Secretary, when he spoke at Chatham House yesterday before the Royal Institute, on international affairs.

Lord Halifax continued: "We read of mischievous misrepresentations of our actions and our motives, which the people in countries holding a different international philosophy think fit to make."

"We read them with resentment, knowing that they are false, and knowing that those who make them know it too. These things do not pass unnoticed here nor do the provocative insults offered to our countrymen further afield."

"I say that Britain is not prepared to yield either to calumnies or force. Every insult offered to our people and every ridicule made to what we value and are determined to defend, unless it increases our determination and strengthens our loyalty to those others who share our feelings and aspirations."

RULES OF CONDUCT

"Over a large part of the world, the old standards of conduct and ordinary human decency are being set aside. Things are being done which we can hardly read without amazement, so alien are they to our conception of how men should deal with their fellow men."

"The rules of conduct between nations are being over-ridden with the same callous indifference as the rules of conduct between man and man."

"At a time when our aims have been constantly misrepresented, it is well to restate them boldly and with plainness of speech."

FIRST RESOLVE

"Our first resolve is to stop aggression and for that reason—and that reason alone—we have joined with other nations to meet a common danger. These arrangements have no other purpose than defence. They mean what they say—no more, no less."

"But they have been denounced as aiming at isolation, or, as it is called, the encirclement of Germany and Italy and as being designed to prevent them from acquiring the living space necessary for their national existence."

"What are the facts? Germany is isolating herself successfully and completely, economically by her policy of autarky, politically by a policy that causes constant anxiety to other nations and culturally by her policy of racialism."

INEVITABLE CONSEQUENCE

"If you deliberately isolate yourself, you can blame nobody, but yourself, and as long as this isolation continues, the inevitable consequences of it are bound to become stronger and more marked."

"The last thing we desire is to see an individual—man, woman or child—suffering privations, but if they do, the fault lies not with us and it depends upon the German Government—and the German Government alone—whether this process of isolation continues or not, for any day it can be ended by a policy of co-operation."

LEBENSRAUM

Referring to the "Lebensraum" Lord Halifax declared that this policy could not be solved simply by acquiring more territory, but could only be solved by the wise ordering of the affairs of the country at home and by adjusting and improving its relations with other countries abroad.

"Nations expanded their wealth and raised their standard of living by gaining the confidence of their neighbours, thus facilitating the flow of goods between them."

"The very opposite was likely to be the consequence of action by one nation in the suppression of the independent existence of her smaller and weak neighbours and if 'Lebensraum' is to be applied in that sense, we reject it," declared Lord Halifax.

NOT OVER-POPULATED

"It is noteworthy that this claim to living space is being put forward at a moment when Germany has become an immigration country, importing workers in

large numbers from Czechoslovakia, Holland and Italy to meet the needs of her industry and agriculture."

"How then, can Germany claim to be over-populated? Belgium, Holland and, to a less extent, our own islands, have already proved that what is called over-population can be prevented by productive work. Economically, the world is far too closely knit together for any one country to hope to profit for itself at the expense of her neighbours and no more than any other country can Germany hope to solve her economic problems in isolation."

"Through co-operation—and we, for our part, are ready to co-operate—there is ample scope for extending to all nations the opportunity of a larger economic life, with all that this means and implied in the term 'Lebensraum'."

FEAR AND VIOLENCE

"If the world were organized on such lines, neither Germany nor Italy need fear for their own safety, but no such society of nations can be built upon force in which lives fear and violence and has to spend its substance in organizing to resist it."

"It is idle to cry for peace, when there is no peace or to pretend to reach a settlement, unless it can be guaranteed by a reduction of the warlike preparations and by the assured recognition of every nation's rights to a free enjoyment of its independence."

"At this moment the doctrine of force bars the way to a settlement and fills the world with envy, hatred, malice and uncharitableness."

"But if the doctrine of force were once abandoned, so that the fear of war which stalks the world was lifted, all outstanding questions would become easier to solve and the nations would then be in a position to discuss, with a real promise of success, both political grievances and economic difficulties, whether in the international or colonial field."

COLONIAL PROBLEM

"Whatever may be the difficulties of the colonial problem, or any other, I would not despair of finding ways of settlement, once everybody has got the will to settle."

"But unless all countries do indeed desire a settlement, discussions would only do more harm than good. It is, moreover, impossible to negotiate with a government whose responsible spokesmen brand a friendly country as thieves and blackmailers, and indulge daily in monstrous slanders on British policy in all parts of the world."

"But if that spirit, which is clearly incompatible with any desire for a peaceful settlement, gave way to something different, His Majesty's Government would be ready to pool their best thought with others in order to end the present state of political and economic insecurity."

"If we could get so far, what an immense stride the world would have made."

Atmosphere Of Confidence

"We should have arrested the anxiety which is cramping and arresting business, expansion, and we should have brought back an atmosphere of confidence among the nations."

"Our next task would be the reconstruction of international order on a broader and firmer foundation."

After a reference to the League of Nations and the Covenant, Viscount Halifax continued: "It is not enough to devise measures for preventing the use of force to change the status quo unless there is also the machinery for bringing about the peaceful change."

S'PORE DEFENCE TALKS NOT TO BE DISCLOSED

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter).—In the House of Commons yesterday, the Prime Minister, replying to Mr. Arthur Henderson (Lab.), declined to disclose the details of the defence discussions in Singapore, which, he said, had been satisfactorily concluded.

Asked if arrangements had been made for very full and possible co-operation between the British and French forces in the Far East, Mr. Chamberlain said that that was one of the objects of the discussions.

"To-day, when European nations are forgetful of their common civilisation, and are arming to the teeth, it is more important than ever before that we should remind ourselves of the essential unity of European civilisation."

"Truly, Europe is divided against itself."

Foreign Policy

"Our foreign policy must, therefore, constantly bear in mind the immediate present and the more distant future."

"British policy rests on twin foundations. One is the determination to resist force, the other our recognition of the world's desire to get on with the constructive work of building peace."

"But to-day the threat of military force is holding the world to ransom, and our immediate task is to resist aggression."

"I would emphasize that with all the strength at my command, so that no one may misunderstand me."

Mote Substantial Basis

"And if we are ever to succeed in removing misunderstanding and reaching a settlement which the world can trust, it must be upon some basis more substantial than verbal undertakings."

"It has been said that deeds, not words are necessary. That is also our view. There must be give and take in a practical form on both sides, for there can be no firm bargains on a basis of giving something concrete in return for mere assurances."

Full Understanding

Earlier, Lord Halifax had referred to the agreements with Poland, Turkey, Greece and Rumania, and expressed the hope that negotiations with Russia would very shortly come to a successful issue.

He added: "We assumed these obligations with a full understanding of their causes and consequences. We know that if the security and independence of other countries disappear, our own security and our own independence will be gravely threatened."

"We know that if international law and order is to be preserved, we must be prepared to fight in its defence."

"With every week that passes our re-armament effort gains momentum, and on every side of life, political, administrative and industrial we have abundant evidence of how firmly this national effort is driven and supported by the people's will."

"Behind all this military effort stands the British people, more united than ever, and at their service, wealth and industrial resources."

Labour Comment

Viscount Halifax was followed by Mr. A. V. Alexander (Labour) who said he thought it was a pity that the policy outlined by Viscount Halifax was not firmly pressed at Stresa, or even at Berchtesgaden.

It was encouraging that Ministers of the democratic countries who last September felt no moral responsibility for the defence of a European country against wanton aggression, now advocate a peace bloc, with the belief that justice, liberty and peace could only be maintained if we were prepared to defend international law and order."

And on that they can rest assured of the soundness in heart of the common people of this country."

FRENCH REACTIONS

PARIS, June 30 (Reuter).—"Lord Halifax's words are in keeping with the seriousness of the situation," writes "Figaro." "According to information received in London," the paper continues, "Germany intends to attempt a preliminary attack in Danzig within a few days, followed, towards the end of August, by

AMERICA TO ARM

Recommendations By Chief Of Staff

NEW YORK, June 30 (Trans-ocean).—Immediate measures to increase America's armed strength are demanded by the retiring chief of the American General Staff, General Malin Craig, in a report to the War Department.

General Craig recommended an increase of the army to a total strength of 2,430,000 men and the provision of adequate modern equipment for the immediate arming of one million men in the event of war.

He also advised the creation and training of elite divisions, whose task it would be to oppose with lightning-like rapidity any assault on the western hemisphere. These divisions would be given the task of defending American naval and air-bases within the zone of American interests.

The General also recommended the immediate military development of Alaska, Hawaii, the Panama Canal Zone and Porto Rico.

Defence Or Surrender Is Powers' Alternative

DR. WANG CHUNG-HUI DEFINES JAPANESE THREAT TO INTERESTS

CHUNGKING, June 30 (Central).—The question confronting the Western Powers is whether they should maintain or relinquish their interests acquired by treaties in China in the face of Japanese encroachment, declared Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Minister of Foreign Affairs, in the course of a broadcast to Europe from Chungking yesterday.

Dr. Wang said that in order to deprive the Western Powers of their interests in China and to fulfil her ambition of dominating East Asia, Japan has instigated an anti-foreign movement in the "occupied" areas. While the movement is now directed principally against Britain, it aims at alienating the Powers from each other and crushing them one by one.

Japan's policy of dominating the Asiatic Continent, Dr. Wang pointed out, is deep-rooted. It is clearly expounded in the Tanaka Memorial and other Japanese diplomatic documents. The creation of a so-called "new order in East Asia" is nothing but an attempt to eliminate the interests of foreign Powers.

The Japanese militarists have already started their southward offensive. They have occupied Hainan Island and the Spratly Islands as bases for a further advance. As a result, the colonies of Britain, France, the Netherlands

and the United States in the Pacific are threatened. Pressure is even being exerted upon foreign concessions in China with the intention of seizing them.

Japan's recent announcement of the blockade of the entire China coast only imposes restrictions on the legitimate trade of third Powers in China. Since its closure about a year ago, there has been no sign of re-opening the Yangtze River, Dr. Wang pointed out.

It should therefore be fully realized by the Western Powers that Japan's aggression in China is also directed against them, Dr. Wang stated. It is the established policy of aggression of the Japanese militarists to make bolder and bolder advances and not to tolerate the existence of interests of third Powers acquired by treaties in China. This has been fully confirmed by past events.

Compromise with Japan is impossible. Any such attempt will not only fail to avert the Far Eastern crisis but will only encourage Tokyo to make further demand, Dr. Wang concluded.

TIENTSIN PARLEYS

NEGOTIATIONS WILL START ON JULY 6: JAPANESE ARMY'S UNCOMPROMISING ATTITUDE

TOKYO, June 30 (Reuter).—The parleys in regard to Tientsin are expected to open about July 6.

Japanese newspapers report that the Japanese Consul, Mr. Tanaka, the Japanese military representative and the British Vice-Consul, Mr. Herbert, from Tientsin, will negotiate "on the spot" Tientsin issues in Tokyo, while Sir Robert Craigie, the British Ambassador in Tokyo, and Mr. Setomatsu Kato, representing Mr. Arita, the Japanese Foreign Minister, will simultaneously take up "the basis of the Chinese issues which have markedly affected Anglo-Japanese relations, thereby leading up to the Tientsin imbroglio."

BRITISH SPEECH

ROME, June 30 (Reuter).—"Political lack of any constructive proposals," is "l'Espresso's" opinion of Lord Halifax's speech a good summary of which is printed in this morning's papers.

"The 'Popolo di Roma' says that the speech was bitter and threatening and lacking in diplomatic form, as that pronounced the day before by Mr. Winston Churchill."

John Bull failed to realise that phibocratic Britain is undergoing the inevitable decline.

In this connexion, the "Asahi Shimbun" asserts that the Japanese Army "is determined to secure Britain's abandonment of her belated neutrality against Japan, based on the re-orientation of Britain's basic policy of its sure and concrete enforcement in the whole of North China."

Under a barrage from four warships a Japanese Landing Party effected a landing. The Chinese set up stiff resistance. After several hours' fighting, they were driven back to their warships, leaving a number of dead on the shore.

About 100 Chinese fishermen were captured by the Japanese and taken aboard their war vessels.

Twelve more Japanese warships arrived off the Foochow coast yesterday, making a total of twenty-six. Japanese naval planes continued their aerial bombardment of Fokien coastal towns during the day. Six of them raided Foochow, dropping bombs outside the west gate.

READY FOR SIEGE

SHAOKWAN, June 30 (Int'l).—Foochow is ready for siege in view of the Japanese advance from the Pagoda Anchorage about 25 miles from the city on the Min River. Military circles here are of the

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BRITISH BLUEJACKETS LANDED AT FOOCHOW 36 JAPANESE WARSHIP OFF TREATY PORT

AMERICAN PROPERTY BURNT DOWN DURING AIR RAID

SHANGHAI, June 30 (Reuter).—An undetermined number of British bluejackets, reported at 36, landed at the British Consulate in Foochow from H.M. "Grasshopper" to protect British life and property.

The "Grasshopper" was specially ordered to Foochow from the Yangtze Delta because of its ability to sail up the shallow Min River on which Foochow stands. Twenty-six Japanese warships are now stated to be concentrated off Foochow.

SHANGHAI, June 30 (Reuter).—The property of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, situated on the outskirts of Foochow, was hit by three bombs, including one incendiary, during a Japanese air raid yesterday, and was burnt down to the ground, but there were no casualties.

Japanese planes bombed the outlying villages later, but concentrated their attack on the outskirts of Foochow.

JAPANESE LANDING

FOOCHOW, June 30 (Central).—A Japanese landing on Ping-tan, an island off the coast of Fokien in Fukien early yesterday morning was repulsed.

Under a barrage from four warships a Japanese Landing Party effected a landing. The Chinese set up stiff resistance. After several hours' fighting, they were driven back to their warships, leaving a number of dead on the shore.

About 100 Chinese fishermen were captured by the Japanese and taken aboard their war vessels.

Twelve more Japanese warships arrived off the Foochow coast yesterday, making a total of twenty-six. Japanese naval planes continued their aerial bombardment of Fokien coastal towns during the day. Six of them raided Foochow, dropping bombs outside the west gate.

READY FOR SIEGE

SHAOKWAN, June 30 (Int'l).—Foochow is ready for siege in view of the Japanese advance from the Pagoda Anchorage about 25 miles from the city on the Min River. Military circles here are of the

opinion that the Japanese advance along this river is full of peril, as only steam launches can navigate the river and are subject to attacks from the Chinese gunboats.

Japanese destroyers are steaming up beyond Mami, the mountainous terrain of that shelling from Mami to chow will be ineffective.

Foochow is being heavily shelled to-day by Japanese planes and evacuation is completed by this afternoon.

REPORT CONFIRMED

The naval authorities yesterday confirmed the report that a request of the British Consulate in Foochow for H.M. "Grasshopper" to protect British life and property was granted.

The "Grasshopper" was ordered to Foochow from the Yangtze.

YORKSHIRE LO

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter).—In the County cricket championship, Gloucestershire defeated Yorkshire by seven wickets.

Yorkshire 176 (Goddard 61) and Gloucestershire 188 (Verity 47) and 114 for 5 wickets.

A meeting of teachers in the Colony, which are held with the National Government, will be held at the Tai Wah Restaurant, Leimok, on Sunday 7 p.m. The meeting will be for the purpose of discussing the problems which will be discussed between the teachers.

CATHOLIC NEWS & NOTES

FEAST OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD: LAST PAPAL BATTLESHIP: ACADEMY PORTRAITS: TUSSAUD ANNIVERSARY

To-morrow, the first Sunday of July, the Feast of the Precious Blood will be celebrated at Shamshui-church, adjoining the Hospital whose name is associated with this feast. The Congregation of Chinese Sisters, who have this Children's Hospital under their devoted care, is the Congregation of the Precious Blood. The Bishop will attend the church for the feast and will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation in the morning.

The association of the shedding of Christ's Blood with the work of the Redemption has led to the use of the name in connection with many forms of apostolic work. There are several Congregations of priests and nuns and numerous Associations of lay people bearing the name, and for some centuries there was an Order of Knighthood called the Knights of the Precious Blood. The Dukes of Mantua were the grand-masters, and it was dissolved when the Emperor Joseph I abdicated the dukedom.

The Feast of the Precious Blood was established by Pope Pius IX in exceptional circumstances. A Congregation of priests of the most Precious Blood had been founded on the desire of Pius VII when he returned to Rome after his exile under Napoleon. The Congregation flourished greatly and within fifty years had many houses in Italy and Germany.

When trouble broke out in Italy with the seizure of the Papal States, many of these houses were confiscated and some destroyed, and the Superior-General, who was a personal friend of the Pope, accompanied him into exile when the Pope had to leave Rome. He suggested to the Pope that he should promise to establish a feast of the Precious Blood if he were able to return to Rome, but the Pope did not wish to make a spiritual bargain of this kind and instead he established the feast at once.

Last Papal Battleship

The present activity in naval building in England has led a writer on naval matters to recall that the last Papal battleship was built in England, and was in fact launched on the Thames just eighty years ago. It is not generally realised that there was once such a thing as a Papal navy. When the States of the Church formed a state of some European importance they had a navy as well as an army, and the Pope's ships covered themselves with honour in the battle of Lepanto. In the last century, however, all that was needed by the Papal States was a ship for the protection of the fisheries.

The Immacolata Concezione, as the last battleship was named, was launched at Blackwell in 1859 in the presence of Cardinal Wiseman and many other distinguished Catholics. It was a full-rigged auxiliary ship mounted with eight 18-pounder brass cannon. After 1870, when it was no longer needed, the Pope gave the ship to a Dominican fishery school in France as a training-ship for their boys, but it proved too expensive to maintain and it had to be sold. It was disposed of to an English firm and later it passed into the hands of French owners. After very varied uses it was finally lost in the Mediterranean as recently as 1905.

Academy Portraits

A portrait of Hilaire Belloc by James Ginn was hung in this year's Academy. It shows Belloc's advancing years, for he has aged considerably within the past few years, and it suggests contrast with his portrait in the "Conversation Piece" by the same artist which has one of the pictures of the year in the Academy a few years ago. The others in that picture were G. K. Chesterton and Maurice Baring, a trio of close friends and the three greatest Catholic writers of their day.

Maurice Baring, the least known of the three to the general public, is one of the best living writers of English and has a long list of novels, plays, and volumes of reminiscences and of poems to his name. He is also an artist, a pianist, and a composer, and a linguist of exceptional ability. He has had a remarkable career, first in the diplomatic service, then as a newspaper correspondent in many strange countries, and in the air force during the war.

Another Catholic writer whose portrait hangs in this year's Academy is Wilfrid Meynell, the Grand Old Man of Catholic journalism. Many who know of him as the instigator of Alice

Tussaud Anniversary

Another elderly Catholic writer, better known however in a different capacity, has come recently into the news: Mr. John Tussaud, who with Mrs. Tussaud has just celebrated his golden wedding. Mr. Tussaud is the great-grandson of the original founder of the waxworks, and he has been engaged in modelling figures since he was fourteen years of age. His work has fully maintained the high standard set in the exhibition, and his portrait figures have many times been exhibited in the Royal Academy. He has modelled more than 1000 figures for the exhibition in the course of his lifetime. He is now eighty years of age. He has written many books, mostly dealing with French history of the last two centuries; and he has also written the history of the waxworks under the title of "The Romance of Madame Tussaud's".

Mrs. Tussaud also comes of an artistic family, for her father was a stained-glass and mosaic artist. She is a needlewoman of exceptional ability and her work has often been exhibited. On one occasion she sent a piece silk embroidered depicting poppies to an exhibition, and found it displayed as a water-colour painting.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Cause Road.

July 2-5th Sunday after Pentecost.

The Visitation of Our Lady.

MORNING SERVICES

1st Mass at 8, with sermon in Chinese.

2nd Mass at 8 Solemn High Mass followed by the Procession of the Blessed Sacrament.

3rd Mass at 10 with sermon in English.

EVENING SERVICES

At 3.30 Catechetical Instruction.

At 4 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

July 5—The Novena for the relief of the Holy Souls begins to day at 7.30 a.m. Mass.

July 6—Holy Hour from 5.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.

July 7—1st Friday of the month—General Communion in honour of the Sacred Heart at 7 o'clock Mass.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 5.30 p.m.

July 8—St. Elizabeth, Queen of Portugal.

On week days Mass at 6, 7 and 7.30.

Confessions morning and evening.

CHRIST CHURCH

(Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong)

(Waterloo Road; No. 7 or 8 Bus route)

CORPORATE COMMUNION

July 2-4th Sunday after Trinity.

7.15 a.m. Corporate Holy Communion followed by breakfast.

10 a.m. Choral Eucharist.

Preacher: The Vicar.

6.30 p.m. Evensong.

Young People's Class at the Church at 9 a.m.

Sunday School Kindergarten at 9 a.m. at 3 Duke St.

July 6-Thursday, Holy Communion at 7.15 a.m.

Ladies' Guild meets at 100 Waterloo Rd. at 10.30 a.m. Wolf Cubs meet at 3 Duke St. at 4.30 p.m.

July 7-Friday, Choral practice at 8 p.m.

July 8-Saturday, Launch picnic leaving Polite Pier at 3.45 p.m. Adults, 80 cents; Children, 40 cents.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

July 2-4th Sunday after Trinity.

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

8 a.m. Holy Communion in Peak Church.

11 a.m. Choral Eucharist.

Preacher: The Bishop.

8.30 p.m. Evensong.

Preacher: The Rev. A. P. Rose.

WEEKDAYS

Holy Communion is celebrated on—

Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.

Friday at 7.45 a.m. (In Cantonese).

Wednesday, Prayers for the sick, at 10.15 a.m.

Daily 12 noon a Special Service of Prayer. (Broadcast).

OTHER NOTICES

July 5 10-12.30 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.

4 p.m. Choir Practice, (Boys), Cathedral Hall.

8 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

July 6-3.30 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Devotional Service, Lady Chapel.

5.30 p.m. Cathedral Scouts Meeting, Scouts Headquarters, Lower Albert Road.

June 7-5.30 Choir Practice, Cathedral.

The Children's Service and kindergarten will be discontinued during the months of July and August.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

Queen's Road East, (Opposite the Royal Naval Hospital)

Preachers: Morning—Rev. E. Moreton.

Evening—Rev. Leonard E. Hukin, B. Sc., of Haigh College, Tung Chung.

Morning Service at 10.15 a.m. to be followed by Holy Communion.

Prayer, Hymn No. 34, Lesson Hymn No. 620, Children's Talk, Hymn No. 845, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 478 Sermon, Hymn No. 484, Benediction.

Evening Service at 7 p.m.

Hymn No. 1, Prayer, Hymn No. 872, Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 503, Sermon No. 614, Benediction.

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Following the Evening Service a Social Hour will be held at the S. and S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed.

There will be a meeting for Prayer and Fellowship on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m. at the S. and S. Home.

The L. C. A. is meeting at the S. and S. Home on Tuesday at 10.30 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

July 2-5th Sunday after Pentecost—The Visitation of Our Lady.

First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.

Second Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

This Service will be broadcast—Sermon by Rev. Father R. Gallagher S. J. on the text: "He that is mighty hath done great things to me." S. Luke 1.49.

July 7—First Friday.

Holy Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.

On week days, Holy Mass at 8 a.m.

Confessions are heard every day, before and after Mass.

On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

July 2-5th Sunday after Pentecost.

6.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in Chinese.

8 a.m. Holy Mass, Sermon in English, General Communion of Catholic Associations and Benediction.

10 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in English.

July 4, Tuesday: at 8.45 p.m. Meeting of St. Teresa's Youth.

July 6, Thursday: from 8 to 7 p.m. Holy Hour, followed by the Meeting of the Apostleship of Prayer.

July 7—First Friday of the Month.

6.30 a.m. First Mass; 7 a.m. Devotions of the First Friday, followed by second Mass.

RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

15, JORDAN ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the services for the forthcoming week:

Saturday, 6 p.m.

Sunday, 8.30 a.m.

Monday, July 11—6 p.m.

Tuesday, July 12—8.30 a.m.

St. Peter and St. Paul.

LESSON SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

SUBJECT—GOD

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science churches to-morrow July 2 will be "God."

The Golden Text will be:—"Unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever." (1. Timothy 1: 17).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible:—"Then Paul stood in the midst of Mars' hill, and said, 'Ye men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious. For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you. God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; Neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed any thing, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things; He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions.'" (Acts 17: 22-25; Ps. 107: 20).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text-book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:—"Paganism and Agnosticism may define Deity as 'the great unknownable'; but Christian Science brings God much nearer to man, and makes Him better known as the All-in-all, forever near. Paul saw in Athens an altar dedicated 'to the unknown God.' Referring to it, he said to the Athenians: 'Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, Him declare I unto you.'" (Act XVII: 23).

God is individual, incorporeal. He is divine Principle, Love, the universal cause, the only creator, and there is no other self-existence. He is all-inclusive, and is reflected by all that is real and eternal and by nothing else. Truth does the work, and you must both understand and abide by the divine Principle of your demonstration." (Ps. 596, 331, 456).

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services for the forthcoming week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Saturday, 8 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.

Sunday, 10.30 a.m. Prayer Meeting.

Sunday, 11 a.m. Morning Service. Preacher, Rev. J. E. Morrison.

Sunday, 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes.

Sunday 7.30 p.m. Song Service conducted by Mr. Robert and Mr. Forbes Macleod.

Sunday, 8 p.m. Evening Service. Rev. B. Tweeter will give a Gospel Message.

Monday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle at 732 Nathan Road.

Monday, 8 Soldiers and Airmen's Christian Association Blackboard Meeting.

Tues.—All Day of Prayer.

Tuesday, 2.30 p.m. Amahs' Meeting.

Tuesday, 8 p.m. Young People's Club.

Wednesday, 2.30 p.m. Ladies' Sewing Party.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting.

Wednesday, 9 p.m. Business Meeting.

Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle at Mr. Jonsson's house, 3 United Terrace, Homantin Street.

All are welcome.

No collection Sunday Evening.

ANNOUNCEMENT

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong (a Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass.)

No. 31 Macdonnell Road, close to Peak Tram Station, Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located in the Church Building and is open every morning (except Sunday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m. All authorised Christian Science literature is available at the Reading room. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

ROSARY CHURCH

25, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming Services, etc.

Sunday, July 2-5th Sunday after Pentecost.

Feast of the Visitation of Our Lady.

At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Chinese.

At 7.30 Mass with sermon in English.

At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Monday, July 3—Meeting of the Sodality of the Children of Mary (Chinese Section) at 6 p.m.

Wednesday, July 5—The Novena for the Holy Souls begins to-day at 7.30 a.m.

Meeting of Promoters (Ladies) of the Apostleship of Prayer at 5.45 p.m.

Meeting of C. C. Y. W. S. at 5.30.

Thursday, July 6—Meeting of the Ladies' Union at 11 a.m.

Holy Hour with sermon in English from 6 to 7 p.m.

Friday, July 7—Devotion of the First Friday of the Month in honour of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Low Mass at 5.45 and 6.30 a.m.

Choral Mass with General Communion, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, at 7.30 a.m.

On week-days: Mass at 6.30 and 7.30 a.m.

At the St. Paul's Chapel (185 Portland Street, Mong Kok):

On Sunday, Mass with sermon in Chinese at 8.15 a.m.

Evening Prayers, sermon in Chinese and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 8 p.m.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH

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CHURCH SERVICES

Trinity IV.

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

8 p.m. Evensong and Short

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

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SPECIAL SUMMER SERVICE

THE REV. J. H. HUGGS TO PREACH

Sunday, July 2—Fourth Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion 8.30 a.m.

Matins and address at 11 a.m.

Subject: "The things that are unseen."

Preacher: The Vicar.

Evensong and Address at 7 p.m.

Subject: "My neighbour and I."

Preacher: The Vicar.

The time of the evening service has been specially arranged for those who go to the beaches but who like to return in time for service.

Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m.

Leader: Miss W. Robinson.

Young People's Service in the Church 10 a.m.

Leader: Mr. R. Baldwin.

Monday, July 3—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.

Fellowship of Youth 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club 9 p.m.

Tuesday, July 4—Browne Pack 3.30 p.m.

Boys' Choir Practice 6 p.m.

Wednesday, July 5—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.

Wolf Cubs (St. Andrew's) 5.30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Rover Scouts (1st Kowloon) meet at 11 Cumberland Road, Kowloon Tong at 8.45 p.m.

Thursday, July 6—St. Andrew's Boy Scout Troop meet at 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club 9 p.m.

Friday, July 7—Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.

Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.

Tue H. meets in the Chater Room at 6.30 p.m.

Saturday, July 8—St. Andrew's Club Bathing Picnic leaves the Police Pier at 3 p.m.

All members and friends of the Club and the Church are invited to attend.

Address.

Preacher: Rev. Charles Strong, Chaplain.

Notice: All Seafarers are invited to a Social Hour in the Officers' Lounge at the close of the Evening Service.

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Finance and Commerce

WITHDRAWAL OF DEPOSITS FROM CHINESE BANKS

Emergency Measure Is Temporary

CHUNGKING, June 30 (Int'l).—The present restrictions upon withdrawal of deposits from Chinese banks at Shanghai aimed primarily at stabilizing the currency situation there, were intended as an emergency measure of a temporary character, said a spokesman of the Finance Ministry in clarifying the order issued last week.

Expressing the hope that the situation at Shanghai would soon return to normal, the spokesman said that the measure decreed on June 21 would be withdrawn as soon as conditions warranting its continuance were removed.

For this reason, he added, it was made clear in the ministerial order telegraphed to Shanghai that the restrictions on withdrawals were intended as a measure of a temporary character.

As regards the currency measures decreed on August 15, 1937, the spokesman said that the Ministry of Finance had issued a circular order ordering it clear that these measures still remained in force.

Japanese Exports To U.S. Dwindle

SHANGHAI, June 30 (Int'l).—With several polls of public opinion consistently showing that the majority of Americans are sympathetic with China, the general consumption of Japanese goods in the United States has dwindled notably, according to a New York dispatch.

For example, the Japanese exports to the United States in 1938 amounted to only U.S. \$128,447,000, as compared with U.S. \$207,900,000 during 1937.

Simultaneously the United States exports to Japan suffered, though to a lesser degree. For example, they totalled U.S. \$258,580,000 in 1938, as compared with U.S. \$304,826,000 in 1937.

U.S. & FOREIGN SILVER PRICE

Serious Monetary Problem

WASHINGTON, June 30 (Reuter).—Mr. Morgenthau, U.S. Secretary for the Treasury, said at a press conference, that the Treasury would continue to adjust its foreign silver price to the London market with a view to preventing dumping by foreign sellers, anticipating a complete cessation by buying abroad.

However, whether it would be continued beyond midnight to-night, would depend on the action of the Congress on the Monetary Bill.

He also said that if the proposed higher domestic price was enacted, it might be possible that American sellers would be subject to a 50 per cent tax on silver profits which was formerly applicable only to speculators in foreign silver.

Serious Situation. He expressed the opinion that the possible lapsing of the Stabilization Fund and the devaluation authority this time presents a serious situation, particularly in view of the international developments and might also endanger the tripartite agreement.

Mr. Morgenthau conceded that the Treasury would still have certain powers to act in the Foreign Exchange markets if the emergency powers lapse, but with divided authority between the Treasury and the New York Federal Bank, he was not certain just how successful such intervention might be.

He said he did not know what to do in respect of silver if the monetary legislation was not enacted by to-night.

Decision on July 5. The Treasury's silver operations would then likely be conducted under the Silver Purchase Act, but it was possible that no decision would be made until July 5, since the Treasury never purchased silver on Saturdays and the Government Offices were closed on Monday and Tuesday.

It is understood that the administration has informed the Congressional leaders that it would prefer to allow the monetary controls expiring on June 30 to lapse and then to seek re-enactment rather than accept an extension

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

The market closes for the first half of 1939, firm at slightly lower rates than those recorded at the beginning of the year. Buyers have been content to let the market find its own level. Any shares that have been offered being absorbed without difficulty. With all local companies doing record business, this market is due for a boom with any improvement in political conditions.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

H.K. Bank, \$1335.
China Underwriters, \$135.
Providents, \$470.
Lands, \$354, \$354.
Tramways, \$16.60, \$16.65, \$16.60.
Star Ferries, \$68.
Electric, \$554.
Watsons, \$81, \$8.45.

CHANGES—4 P.M. (CLOSING QUOTATIONS)

BUYERS
Canton Ins., \$200.
China Lights (O), \$8.10.
Wing On H.K., \$41.
H.K. Govt, 4% Loan, 4% pm.

SELLERS
Canton Ins., \$230.
H.K. Fires, \$183.
Providents, \$470.
H.K. and Hotels, \$5.60.
H.K. Lands, \$38.
Watsons, \$81.

SALES
H.K. Bank, \$1325/40.
Providents, \$4.60.
H.K. and S. Hotels, \$54.
H.K. Tramways, \$16.60/50.
H.K. Govt, 3 1/2% Loan Par.

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING QUOTATIONS

Centavos
Friday, June 30, 1939.
Atokas 19
Baguio Gold 21
Batong Buhay 012
Big Wedge 18 1/2
Coco Grove 27 1/2
Mindanao 9
Manubao 8
Ibogons 22 1/2
Masbates Consol. 104
Mine Operations 124
North Camarines 24
San Maucilio 87
Suyoc Consol. 13
United Paracales 39
Syndicate Investment 035
Surigao Consol. 20
Market Comment.—Quiet.

not including the power to devalue the dollar.

HONGKONG MINES LIMITED

Working Profit Of Over \$75,000

A working profit for the year of over \$75,000 was announced by Mr. L. R. Nielson, who presided at the annual meeting of Hongkong Mines Ltd., which was held yesterday at 11 a.m.

The following were present: Mr. L. R. Nielson, Chairman, Messrs. B. B. Bassett, H. Hong Sling, J. M. Wong, V. E. Duclos, F. L. Lam, Wong Kit-wan, B. O. Andersen and F. W. Kendall.

Chairman's Speech

In moving the adoption of the report and accounts for the year 1938, the Chairman said:

"Before formally proposing the adoption of such Report and accounts I will give you a resume of the activities of the Company. As you will note from the Balance Sheet, a working profit of over \$75,000—was made.

"In view of the fact, however, that no depreciation was written off last year, we considered it advisable to write off the percentage customary in mining. In this case, amounting to nearly half a million dollars. We feel, however, that you will consider this good practice, and shows accurately the correct position of the Company, although it inevitably entails a nett loss on the year's results.

Exceedingly Fortunate

"As will be readily appreciated, we have been exceedingly unfortunate, in going through a protracted period in which the price of lead has been exceptionally below average. To-day's price is approximately £14 1/2 whereas the average for the past 20 years is £23-5-0d.

"We can only hope that the price will improve in the near future.

Although we have been in operation for over a year and a half, our ore reserves remain approximately about the same as when we first commenced operation.

"With these remarks I now formally propose the adoption of the report and accounts as presented, and after they have been seconded I shall be pleased to answer any question on such statements."

The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

Other Business

Messrs. L. R. Nielson and C. C. Stark were re-elected directors and Messrs. T. A. Martin and Co. were re-elected auditors.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL

As from to-day (1st July 1939) our Sales Room will be situated in the "White House", No. 12, Des Voeux Road, Central. The entrance is from the lane between The White House and the premises of Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd. Our office address will remain unchanged, viz: Room 205, No. 2, Connaught Road, Central, Second Floor.

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VOLUNTEER ORDERS

ORDERS BY LT.-COL. H. B. ROSE, M.C., COMMANDANT, HONGKONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

PROMOTION

Extract from Government Gazette No. 26 of 18.6.39.

"No. 486—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following promotion in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from May 11, 1939:—Lance-Bombardier Kenneth Myer Arthur Barnett to be Second Lieutenant, June 16, 1939."

HOLIDAY

Corps H.Q. will be closed on July 1, 1939.

DRIVING LICENCES

O.S.C. Units will send in all Driving Licences held by members of their units, for renewal by Monday, July 3, 1939.

PARADES

1st Battery

July 4: Belchers, 5.45 p.m. No. 1 Gun and D.R.F. Class. Gun drill and D.R.F. Dress—Khaki shorts and shirts (or overalls), S.D. caps and gun platform shoes.

July 7: Belchers, 5.45 p.m. No. 2 Gun, D.R.F. Class and Lewis gunners. Gun drill, D.R.F. and Lewis gun instruction. Dress—Khaki shorts and shirts (or overalls), S.D. caps and gun platform shoes.

2nd Battery

July 5 and 6: Scandal Point, 5.30 p.m. Those detailed for Range Takers and Layers' courses. Dress—S.D. caps and Overalls.

3rd Battery

July 3 and 6: Belchers, 5.45 p.m. Gun drill. Dress—S.D. caps, Overalls, gun platform shoes.

4th Battery

July 7: Queen's Pier, 5.30 p.m. Dress—S.D. caps, Overalls, gun platform shoes.

Corps Artillery—Recruits (3rd and 4th Btys.)

July 3 and 5: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. D.E.L. Section

July 3: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Section Meeting.

Beach Light Company

July 3: H.Q. 5.45 p.m. Tactical Handling of Lyon Lights.

July 8: H.Q. 5.45 p.m. Recruits—Lyon Light Instruction.

Demolition and Works Company July 6: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Organisation of Working Parties.

Corps Signals

July 1: H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Line Section West Detachment Reconnaissance—Cpl. Taylor, D/R's—as detailed.

July 3: H.Q. 5.15 p.m. Line and Operating Section—Map Reading.

July 7: H.Q. 5.15 p.m. D/R. Section—Miniature Range, Empire Test.

Armoured Car Platoon

July 4: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O. Instruction—All members of the Platoon may attend.

All members will hand in their driving licences to Sgt. F. Brett by Monday, July 3.

Motor Machine Gun Platoon

July 1: The following are detailed for riding practice in the New Territories and will parade in Overalls and R.T.R. caps at Hung Hom Railway Depot, Kowloon, at 2.45 p.m.

Pte. J. H. Odell, Pte. G. A. Lomaev, Pte. D. O. Parsons, Pte. P. M. Semmelmann, Pte. G. Knight, and Pte. C. A. Sills.

Other members may attend if they wish to do so.

July 7, N.C.O.'s—H.Q. 5.30 p.m.—E.G.D. Privates—Hung Hom Railway Depot, Kowloon, 5.30 p.m. Riding Practice.

July 14: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s examination.

All ranks must send their licences to O.C. Platoon for renewal by Monday, July 3.

No. 1 M.G. Company

July 4: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (1) N.C.O.'s Class—E.G.D. Instruction. (2) No. 4 (Troop) Platoon. Trained Men. Application of fire—Indirect. Recruits. M.G. Instruction.

July 7: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Platoons. Trained Men—Director Methods. Recruits—L.A. 1st and 2nd positions.

No. 2 M.G. Company

July 8: H.Q. 5.15 p.m. Visit new area—Gun mounting on various

RADIO

PROGRAMMES

(Continued from Page 3)

Song—Waltz ("The Desert Song"—Romberg). Old Spanish Song (Louis Aubert). "Les Millions D'Alcaquin"—Serrade (Origo). Standchen (Strauss). Ay, Ay, Ay "Guyana"—Perez, Freire. Vienna Blood—Waltz (Strauss). Blue Danube—Waltz (Strauss). The Temple Bells ("Four Indian Love Lyrics"—Flaen). 8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Brahms—Concerto No. 1 in D Minor, Op. 15. Arthur Schnabel (Piano) and London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by George Szell.

8.55 p.m. Brahms—Gypsy Songs, Op. 109—The Madrigal Singers. 9.02 p.m. Violin Solos by Joseph Selig.

Dance, Russe (from "Petrouchka"—Stravinsky). Norwegian Song—"Snow" (Sigurd Lie). Gavotte (from "Classical Symphony"—Prokofiev, Op. 25—with Piano by Nikita de Magalo, Nigun (from "Baal Shem"—Bloch)—with Piano by Kurt Ruhreitz.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News and Newsletter.

9.25 p.m. London Relay—Sports Talk.

9.45 p.m. Choir of the Temple Church. The Heavens Are Telling ("The Creation"—Haydn)—with G. Hjalben Ball at the Organ. Hear My Prayer (Mendelssohn)—with Master E. Lough (Boy-Soprano) and G. Thalben Ball at the Organ.

10.00 p.m. London Relay—"Cards on the Table." A discussion on topics of the moment.

10.15 p.m. Studio—Sunday Evening Epilogue.

Conducted by the Rev. Father Ryan, S.J. Subject—"The Friendship of Christ" No. 1 "The Demands of Friendship."

10.35 p.m. Close down.

types of ground.

No. 3 M.G. Company July 3: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 10 Platoon—Miniature Range. No. 12 Platoon—Kennedy Road. Remainder—as given in Company Circular.

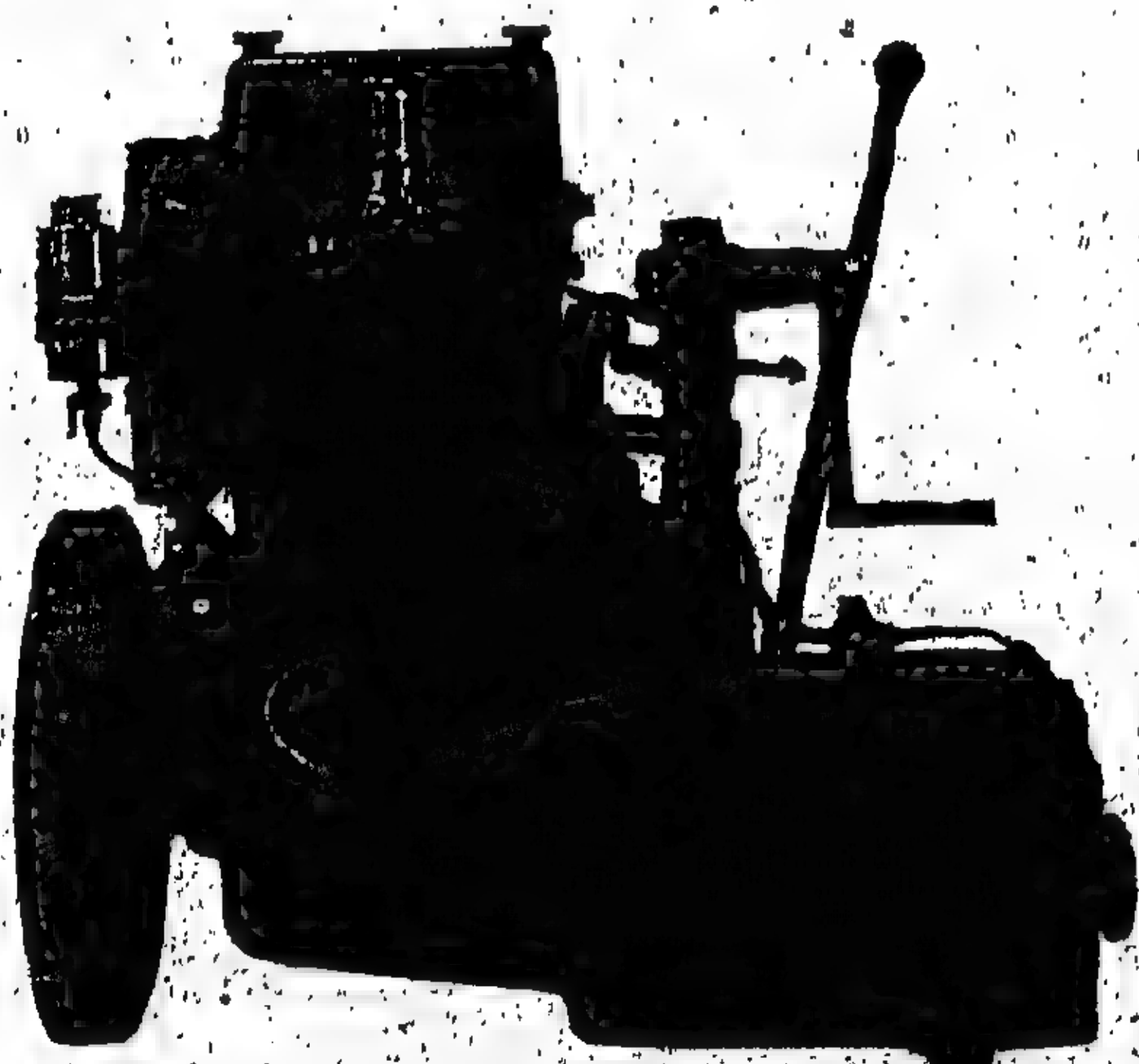
No. 4 M.G. Company July 7: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Company lecture on "Defence against Gas."

No. 5 M.G. Company July 4: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed—Revelston L.A. Remainder—Mechanism Heads 9-14.

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RURAL CREDIT
CO-OPERATIVESFarmers' Bank Loans
Seventy Millions

CHUNGKING, June 30 (Central)
—Loans distributed by the
Farmers' Bank of China in rural
districts over 14 provinces up to
the end of 1938 amounted to \$77-
688,082, of which \$47,922,100 were
still outstanding. It was an-
nounced to-day.

The 14 provinces in which the
loans were distributed were:
Hupei, Anhwei, Hunan, Kiangsi,
Fukien, Kwangtung, Honan,
Szechwan, Shansi, Kansu, Kwei-
chow, Kiangsu, Chekiang and
Shansi.

For six successive years, the
Bank has been pioneering in
the field of credit co-opera-
tives in the rural districts. In
Hupei, Honan, Anhwei, Shensi,
Kansu, Szechwan and Kweichow
it initiated the co-operative move-
ment by organising the first pre-
paratory co-operative societies.

Co-operative Banks
The Bank intensified its work
on the development of co-ope-
rative banks throughout last year.
More loans were given to enable
them to expand the scope of
their work. Preparations were
also to extend loans to various
rural districts in Sinkiang, Ning-
hsia, Chinghai, Yunnan, Sikang
and Kwangsi.

The Bank has given loans to
Government-owned as well as
private farms in Kiangsi, Hupei
and Shensi provinces. A \$1,000-
000 loan contract was signed
recently with the Yunnan Pro-
vincial Government for this pur-
pose.

As a result of the activities of
the Bank, a total of 28,781 socie-
ties has been established in 14
provinces. Of the total amount
of \$56,252,338.37 distributed among
these societies, \$27,481,133.48 has
already been refunded.

CHINA LOANS
DEFAULTSheer Inability
To Pay

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter).—
The announcement of a
default in the Reorganization
Loan and the 6 per cent 1934
loan, did not come altogether
as a surprise, says the
"Financial Times".

It is recognized that the revenue
on which service on these issues
were secured have fallen into
Japanese hands.

Anticipation of the suspension of
payments was reflected in the
drop in the quotation of the
1934 Loan by over 16 points in the
past month.

Heavy Losses

The Chinese Government, whose
treatment of its creditors has been
exemplary in the past, has been
forced to default by sheer inability
to pay and it is difficult to foresee
that any arrangements are likely
to provide for continued payments
in view of the loss of the greater
part of the customs and salt
revenue to the Japanese and
the recent exchange crisis.

BANK OF FRANCE
GOLD

PARIS, June 29 (Reuter).—The
returns of the Bank of France for
the week ended June 14, show gold
reserves totalling 92,288,000,000
Francs, of gold content of 27.5 mil-
ligrammes, indicating no change
as compared with the preceding
week.

The total note circulation is
given as 119,837,000 Francs, show-
ing a decrease of 328,000,000
Francs, as compared with the week
ended June 14.

U.S. MONETARY
BILL PROVISIONS

NEW YORK, June 30 (Reuter).—
The administration is reported to
have informed the leaders of Con-
gress that it is prepared to allow
the provisions of the Monetary
Bill to lapse rather than seek an
immediate extension.

The report adds that the
administration would then endea-
vour to have the provisions relat-
ing to the Stabilization Fund re-
enacted, but would forego the
power which the President now
enjoys to devalue the dollar by a
further nine cents.

MINISTRY OF
SUPPLY BILL

LONDON, June 30 (Reuter).—
The House of Lords yesterday
pass the Second Reading of the
Ministry of Supply Bill.

WEEKLY RETURNS AND REPORTS

BANK OF ENGLAND

	London, June 29 (Reuter).	June 15	June 22
Public Deposits.....	25,340	25,340	15,390
Other Deposits:—			
Bankers.....	97,240	101,440	101,440
Other Accounts.....	133,370	133,370	133,400
Total.....	112,830	112,830	113,880
Government Securities.....	6,490	6,490	6,490
Other Securities.....	23,280	23,280	23,280
Discounts and Advances.....	23,280	23,280	23,280
Total.....	23,280	23,280	23,280
Notes and Coins.....	228,870	227,130	227,130
Total Bullion.....	494,870	493,980	493,980
Notes in circulation.....	20,300	18,310	18,310
Ratio of Reserve to Liabilities.....	148/5	148/5	148/5
Price of Gold at Which Holdings are valued.....	148/5	148/5	148/5

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

	New York, June 29 (Reuter).	June 22	June 29
		(000's omitted)	
Bills Bought.....	1,000	1,000	1,000
U.S. Securities held.....	2,584,000	2,581,000	2,581,000
Federal Reserve Ratio.....	85.68%	85.71%	85.71%
Federal Reserve Credit Outstanding.....	2,584,000	2,587,000	2,587,000
Monetary Gold Stock.....	16,090,000	16,093,000	16,093,000
Industrial Advance.....	12,377,000	12,440,000	12,440,000

LONDON METALS
EXCHANGE

London, June 29 (Reuter).

	buyers	sellers
COPPER		
Standard, Cash 42-3/16	42-1/4	42-1/4
Standard.....		
3 months 42-1/2	42-5/8	42-5/8
Electrolytic.....	47-1/2	48-1/4
TIN		
Standard, Cash 228-3/4	230	230
Standard.....		
3 months 224-1/4	224-3/8	224-3/8
LEAD		
Foreign, Official Price 14-7/16	14-9/16	14-9/16
Foreign Official.....		
3 months 14-1/2	14-9/16	14-9/16

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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obtained as soon as the goods are
landed.

Optional cargo will not be landed
here unless notice has been given 48
hours prior to vessel's arrival, but
carried on from port to port to the
final port of call to which the option
extends.

No claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns, and all
goods remaining undelivered after the
7th July, 1939, will be subject to
rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged
Goods are to be left in the Godowns,
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July, 1939, at 10 a.m., by our
Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.
To comply with the General Bonded
Warehouse Regulations, consignees must
have a Revenue Officer in attendance
when damaged dutiable goods are
examined.

All claims must reach us before the
7th Aug., 1939, or they will not be
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No Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
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Hong Kong, 30th June, 1939. [524]

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S.S. "PRESIDENT CLEVELAND"	Sails	Aug. 26th at 8.00 A.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT PIERCE"	Sails	Sept. 9th at 4.00 P.M.
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HIKAWA MARU (from Kobe) 18th July

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ATAGO MARU (from Kobe) 22nd July

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YASUKUNI MARU 6th July
KASIMA MARU 29th July

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day Island, Brisbane.
KITANO MARU 29th July

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ANTO MARU 11th July

RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore

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Haidis, British, 1,144 registered
tons Capt. A. Hall from K.C. Wan
p.m. at buoy No. B?—Wo Fat Sing
(Tel. 20005).

Yunnan, British, 1,834 registered
tons Capt. J. Middleton from
Tientsin a.m. at buoy No. B?—B.
& S. (Tel. 30331).

Conte Biancamano, Italian,
13,682 regd. tons Capt. G. Ferrara
from S'hai 8 a.m. at K'loon Wharf
—Lloyd Trieste. (Tel. 32983).

Ming Sang, British, 2,025 regis-
tered tons Capt. C. M. Cater from
Haiphong a.m. at buoy No. B?—
J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Ninghai, British, 1,482 registered
tons Capt. Paul from Wenchow
a.m. at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel.
30331).

Allpore, British, 3,241 registered
tons Capt. E. Lee from Japan 10
a.m. at buoy No. A?—M.M. & Co.
(Tel. 27721).

ARRIVED
YESTERDAY

Yolande Bertin, French, 2,839 regis-
tered tons Capt. P. Rathous from
Port Paraval at K'loon Bay
Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 8,306
regd. tons Capt. T. Fujita from
Europe and Straits at buoy
No. A?—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Emp. of Japan, British, 15,725
regd. tons Capt. L. D. Douglas
from Vancouver, Japan and S'hai
at Kowloon Wharf—C.P.S. (Tel.
20725).

Nanking, Swedish, 3,488 regis-
tered tons Capt. A. Benius from Ja-
pan and Shanghai at buoy No. A?
—Gillman & Co. (Tel. 30986).

Soehow, British, 1,594 regis-
tered tons Capt. J. Whyte from Ha-
iphong, Pakhot, Holhow and K. C.
Wan at buoy No. B?—B. & S.
(Tel. 30331).

Atlantic Gulf, American, 1,518
regd. tons Capt. A. Razon from
Manila at Talkoo Dock—Master.

Prosper, Norwegian, 1,377 regis-
tered tons Capt. E. Stormer from
S'hai at buoy No. B16—Heaply &
Co. (Tel. 24688).

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 1 to 7 July 1939

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water		Low Water	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Sat.	1	h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
		08 45	7 1	01 08	0 7
Sun.	2	22 60	4 9	15 49	0 7
		09 24	7 2	19 37	3 2
Mon.	3	23 30	4 3	18 25	0 8
		09 55	7 1	03 13	3 6
Tues.	4	00 07	4 3	03 57	3 3
		10 28	7 0	17 34	0 7
Wed.	5	00 38	4 4	04 38	3 4
		10 50	6 8	18 10	1 0
Thurs.	6	01 14	4 4	05 14	1 3
		11 18	6 3	18 46	1 2
Fri.	7	01 47	4 5	05 54	3 6
		11 45	5 9	19 20	1 6

DUE TO-MORROW

Tai Yuan, British, 2,100 regis-
tered tons Capt. J. D. Kraser from
S'hai and Amoy a.m. at buoy No.
B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tai Sean Hong, French, 1,297
regd. tons Capt. Courqueux from
S'hai a.m. at buoy No. B?—J. M.
& Co. (Tel. 30311).

Jean Dupuis, French, 368 regis-
tered tons Capt. Lavalley from
Haiphong and K. C. Wan p.m. at
buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Achilles, British, 7,202 registered
tons Capt. F. E. Holmes from Ja-
pan a.m. at buoy No. A?—B. & S.
(Tel. 30331).

Tjisadane, Dutch, 5,780 regis-
tered tons Capt. J. Naerebout from
S'hai and Amoy p.m. at K'loon
Wharf—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Laos, French, 734 registered tons
Capt. P. B. Morgan from Saigon
a.m. at buoy No. B?—M.M. (Tel.
26651).

Anhui, British, 2,080 registered
tons Capt. C. P. Miller from Straits
a.m. at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel.
30331).

Wing Sang, British, 1,953 regis-
tered tons Capt. S. J. Barden from
Haiphong a.m. at West Point Whf.
J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Mennon, British, 4,613 registered
tons Capt. Phillips from U.K. and
Straits a.m. at Holt's Wharf—B. &
S. (Tel. 30331).

SAILING
TO-MORROW

Allpore, British, 3,241 registered
tons Capt. W. Lee from buoy No.
A4 for S'pore, Bombay, Colombo &
Karachi a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel.
30986).

Hong Peng, British, 2,525 regis-
tered tons Capt. J. W. Crawley
from buoy No. A5 for Amoy a.m.—
Ho Hong & Co. (Tel. 26127).

WEATHER REPORT
HONGKONG ROYAL
OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., June 30.
Barometer (at sea level), 29.69 ins.
Temperature, 87 F.
Humidity, 77 per cent.
Wind Direction, S.S.W.
Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.
Temperature; maximum yesterday,
87 F.
Temperature; minimum last night,
81 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th
to-day, 0.11 ins.
Total rainfall since January 1st,
50.09 ins.

Against an average of, 37.89 ins.
Sunrise to-morrow, 5.42 a.m.
Sunset to-night, 7.11 p.m.

4 p.m., June 30.
Barometer (at sea level) 29.68 ins.
Temperature, 85 F.
Humidity, 82 per cent.

Wind Direction, S.
Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.
Maximum temperature, 89 F.
Minimum temperature, 85 F.
Rainfall, nil.

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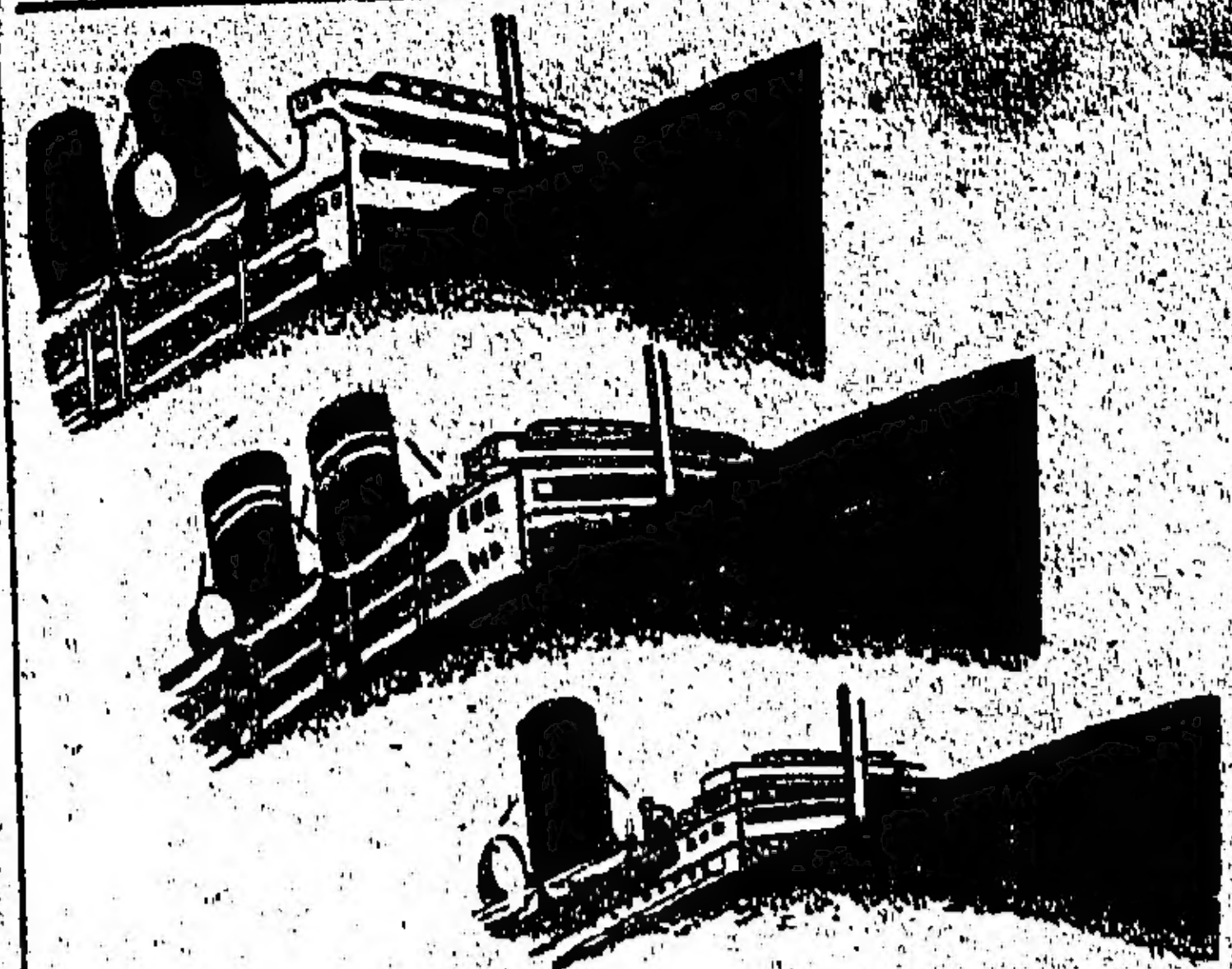
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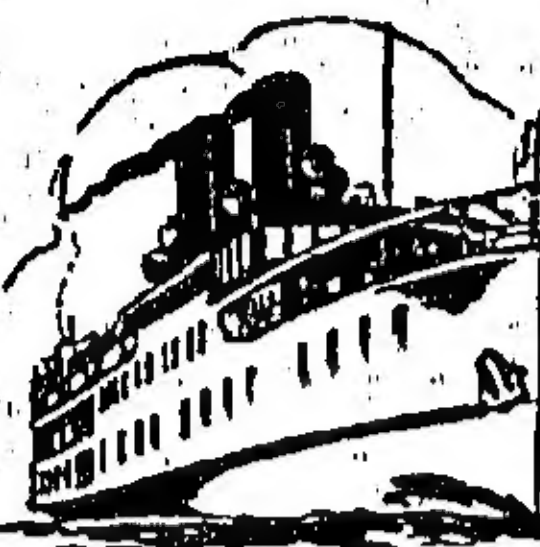
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VOLUNTEER ORDERS

(Continued From Page 11)

Anti-Aircraft Company
July 4: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Elementary
Handling duties of Nos. 1 and 2
"Take Post" "Action" and "Cease
Fire."

July 11: Star Ferry Wharf, Kow-
loon, 5.30 p.m. Mainland Section—
Manning Exercise.
Army Service Corps Company
July 8: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Musketry,
Field Ambulance and Pay Section
(No parades until further notice).

PROMOTION

Cpl. T. Swan, No. 2 M.G. Coy. to
be A/Sgt., 30.6.39.
L/C. E. W. Coulson and L/C. J. R.
Letch, No. 2 M.G. Coy. to be A/Cpl.,
30.6.39.

Ptes. H. W. Bonner, A. K. Mac-
Kenzie and T. F. Stainton, No. 2
M.G. to be L/Cpl., 30.6.39.

TRANSFERS

2/Lt. C. W. L. Cole from 3rd Bty.
to 4th Bty., 30.6.39.
Pte. G. B. S. Thompson from Res.
Sec. "B" to No. 2 Coy. Res., 30.6.39.

Sgt. C. H. Dodson, L/C. S. J. D.
Begg, Ptes. P. C. Morgan, J. Ormiston,
N. W. Smeby, and Y. S. Wan
all from A.S.C. Cadre to A.S.C. Coy.
Res., 30.6.39.

Pte. L. W. Tittle from A.S.C.
Cadre to A.S.C. Coy., 30.6.39.
C.S.M. R. J. Everest, Sgt. A. Spary,
Sgt. E. Casey, Cpl. R. J. Everest,
L/C. R. L. Neubronner, Sprs. I. P.
Tamworth, J. P. Rush, J. G. Bailey
and H. E. Baker, all from D.E.L. to
D. & W. Coy., 30.6.39.

Sigmn. S. Bux and Sigmn. R.
Bucks, from Corps Sigs. to 3rd Bty.,
30.6.39.

C.Q.M.S. G. S. Wilby from 1st Bty.
to Corps H.Q., 30.6.39.
C.S.M. J. M. Jack from 1st Bty.
Res. to Corps H.Q., 30.6.39.

LEAVE

Sgt. J. Dick, Pay Sec., 8.5.39 to
31.12.39.

STRENGTH—DECREASE
L/Cpl. J. Ivan Singh, Corps Sig-
nals, 19.5.39.

Sigmn. A. H. G. Kikabhooy,
Corps Signals, 28.5.39.

Sigmn. I. Mohamed, Corps Sig-
nals, 19.5.39.

STRENGTH—INCREASE
Gnr. L. Heung, 3rd Bty., 23.5.39.

Gnr. H. W. Mok, C. C. Lee, H. N.
Tam, Y. K. Pun, S. T. Chan and S.
W. Ko, 3rd Bty., 31.5.39.

Gnr. W. C. Chung, F. T. Wong
and T. H. Loo, 5.5.39.

Gnr. H. S. Ip, S. H. O. Ng,
W. C. Lee, E. Ali, C. F. S. Pau, W.
O'Connor, F. Rocha, C. Rocha (Jr.),
E. F. Castilho and P. S. Lam, 4th
Bty., 23.5.39.

Gnr. S. F. Chik, M. H. Kwok, M.
C. Kwok, T. K. Chung, P. W. Lam
and S. W. Tsang, 4th Bty., 31.5.39.

Gnr. T. W. Leung, 4th Bty., 1.6.39.
Gnr. P. K. Chan, 4th Bty., 5.6.39.

Gnr. Y. S. Ng and F. H. Yung,
4th Bty., 23.6.39.

Pte. F. F. Cathrew, No. 1 M.G.
Coy., 23.6.39.

Gnr. P. Polson and W. Hewitt,
1st Battery, 28.6.39.

Spr. K. C. Chan, T. Y. Chui, N.
B. Fung, M. T. Yeung and Y. Y.
Yim, Beach Light Coy., 28.6.39.

Pte. J. H. Xavier, A.A. Coy.,
27.6.39.

Spr. A. Spooov, Dem. & Wks. Coy.,
9.5.39.

Spr. G. T. Palmer, Dem. & Wks.
Coy., 29.6.39.

E. N. THURSBY, Captain,
Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

NOTICE

ANNUAL SWIMMING SPORTS
July 28, 1939 at 9.30 p.m. at Vic-
toria Recreation Club.

Programme Of Events
1. Volunteer Handicap Race—
Men—50 yards.
2. Ladies Invitation Handicap
Race—Open—50 yards.
3. 150 Yards Team Race—3
styles—Teams of 3 men, each
man 50 yards. 1st man—back
stroke. 2nd man—free style.
3rd man—breast stroke. Unit
Championship Event.

4. H.K.V.D.C. Nursing Detach-
ment Championship—50 yds.
5. High diving—Teams of 3 men
—3 swallow dives, standing.
Unit Championship Event.
6. Final of Event No. 2.
7. Final of Event No. 1.
8. 300 Yards Team Race—Teams
of 6 men, each man to swim
50 yards, any style. Unit
Championship Event.
9. Officers v. Sergeants Race—
Teams of 4 men, each man to
swim 25 yards.
10. First Aid Race.
11. Pillow Fight.
12. Final of Event No. 4.
13. Exhibition Diving.
14. Inter-Unit Water Polo. Unit
Championship Event.
*Unit Championship Events.
Units

Corps Artillery (Four Batteries
and D.E.L. Section).
Mobile Column (Armd. Car Pl.

SITUATION CHANGES FOR WORSE: GERMAN TROOP MOVEMENTS

WARSAW, June 30 (Reuter)—Ammunition and men
are continuing to reach Danzig from East Prussia,
according to the semi-official reports received from
Danzig last night.

Sixteen guns were disembarked on Wednesday
night in the bay east of Danzig and were taken on
board trawlers to Bischofsberg, where the Danzig au-
thorities are feverishly erecting concrete gun emplace-
ments.

Access is prohibited to the
hill, which is surrounded by
a cordon of police and Storm
Troopers and the barracks on
the hill have been transformed
into an ammunition dump.

Several hundreds of Storm
Troopers are reported to have
arrived in Danzig on Wednesday
night and the Nazis who arrived
from East Prussia to form the
Frei Korps are being housed in
Danzig's pre-war underground for-
tifications.

Berlin, June 30 (Reuter)—Official
quarters here strongly deny that
German troops or officials have
been introduced into Danzig or
that a Frei Korps is being formed.

It is admitted, however, that
Danzig is strengthening its peace
force within legal limits by em-
ploying only Danzig citizens.

WANG TO HEAD

"CHUN WIN"

GOVERNMENT?

Latest Development

In North China

PEIPING, JUNE 30 (REUTER)—
A NEW GOVERNMENT TO RE-
PLACE THAT FUNCTIONING IN
NANKING—BUT NOT THE PEI-
PING GOVERNMENT, WHICH
WILL CONTINUE ON A SEMI-
INDEPENDENT BASIS—IS REPORT-
ED, IN INFORMED CHINESE
QUARTERS, TO HAVE BEEN DE-
CEIDED UPON DURING THE VISIT
OF WANG CHING-WEI.

It is stated that the new
administration, of which Wang
Ching-wei will be the chairman,
will be established in Nanking un-
der the title of "Chun Min," or
the "All Peoples Government," and
the Government of all occupied
China south of the Lungai
Railway.

New Flag
Its flag will be a white sun on
the blue ground of the Kuomint-
tang, with the old Republican five-
barred flag in a corner.

The report adds that elements
of the Kuomintang who are op-
posed to Generalissimo Chiang
Kai-shek would be allowed to
carry on their activities in the
"Chun Min" territory and the
Japanese Army would train Chi-
nese troops for the new Govern-
ment.

M.M.G. Pl., Corps Signals, D. & W.
Coy., A.S.C. Coy., Air Arm and Field
Ambulance).
Machine Gun Coys. (No. 1, 2 and
3 M.G. Coys.).
Portuguese Coys. (No. 5 M.G. Coy.
and A.A. Coy.).
Chinese Coys. (No. 4 M.G. Coy.
and Beach Light Coy.).

Entrance Fee
The entrance fee shall be \$10 for
each Unit for Events No. 3, 5, 8 and
14, and 50 cents per man for Events
No. 1 and 11.

Entries
All entries are to be made in
writing, accompanied by the neces-
sary fees, to the Hon. Secretary,
C.Q.M.S. P. E. Baskett, at H.K.V.D.C.
Headquarters, not later than 5.30
p.m. on Monday, July 10.

Admission To Sports
Admission to the Sports will be
\$1 for everyone, except Competitors,
who will be issued with Compli-
mentary Tickets.

Committee Meeting
The next meeting of the General
Swimming Sports Committee will
be held at Volunteer Headquarters
on Monday, July 10, at 5.30 p.m.,
when Unit Representatives will at-
tend.

AFFILIATED UNIT
Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.
The next lecture on Home Nur-
sing will be given at the P.W.D.
Offices, ground floor, C.S.O. Build-
ing on Monday, July 3 at 5.30 p.m.

Strength-Increase: Miss H. B.
Harker, 26.6.39.

(Sgd.) MRS. E. M. BEGG,
Commandant, Nursing
Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

NEW YORK, June 30 (Reuter)—
The following are the results of
games played yesterday in the
Major League:

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
New York	1	7	1
Washington	2	8	0
Twelve innings were played.			
Battery: Leonard and Ferrell.			
Philadelphia	8	17	1
Boston	6	13	0

Johnson homered for the Sena-
tors and Williams for the Red Sox.
Battery: Potter and Hayes.

The game between Detroit Tigers
and Cleveland Indians was pos-
tponed owing to rain.

	R	H	E
St. Louis	1	18	1
Chicago	3	8	1
Bernardine homered for the Browns.			
Battery: Harris and Spindel.			
New York	7	7	0
Washington	0	3	2
Games was called at the end of the sixth innings owing to rain.			
Battery: Donald and Rosar.			

	R	H	E
St. Louis	5	13	1
Chicago	7	9	2
McQuinn and Clift homered for the Browns and Rosenthal and McNair for the White Sox.			
Battery: Marcum and Tresh.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Boston	8	16	1
New York	2	9	2

Garms and Hassett homered for
the Braves and Moore for the
Giants.

Battery: McFayden and Lopez.
The night cap between Phila-
delphia and Brooklyn was pos-
tponed owing to rain.

	R	H	E
Chicago	7	12	1
St. Louis	6	10	2
Hartnett homered for the Cubs and Mize and Slaughter for the Cardinals.			
Battery: Lee and Hartnett.			

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should not be able to make a fairly
good showing if they join the lea-
gue competition next year.

PRACTICE GAMES

The Mindanao gang took advan-
tage of the presence of several
U.S. warships in port, to stage two
practice matches. On Wednesday,
they lost to the U.S.S. Pope by 12
runs to 7, after Skipper Cecil
Douglas had put in his second
stingers when leading by 6-3.
With the help of Dave Leonard,
"Dutch" Lingenbrink and Al, the
Mindanao boys took the Tulsa by
8-2, on Thursday afternoon.

In the latter game, Charlie Hor-
ton showed without doubt that he
is still one of the most valuable
players in local ball, by holding
the "Tulsa" slingers scoreless for
the last 5 innings of the game,
conceding only one, scratch hit
that could well have been scored
as a fielder's error.

Dave Leonard, in the same
match, laced out the longest cir-
cuit drive that has been seen in
Hongkong, since "Red" Thurman
belted his record long run in 1929.
The "Tulsa" hurler showed good
judgment when he walked Dave
whereafter.

AMAH FALLS OFF TRAMCAR

In an attempt to find out
whether she had reached a com-
pulsory stopping place whilst
travelling in a tramcar, Yu Mei-
lung, 20-year-old amah, residing
at No. 252 Jaffe Road, first floor,
Wanchai, fell off the car and was
rendered unconscious.

She bled badly from her nose
and head, and was removed to
the Queen Mary Hospital.

The accident occurred in
Johnston Road yesterday at 2
p.m.

FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, 1st JULY, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

GENERAL HOLIDAY

On Saturday, 1st July, the General Post Office and Kowloon
Central Post Office will be open from 8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m.,
Sheungwan Branch Post Office will be open from 8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m.,
and the other Branch Post Offices will be entirely closed.

There will be one collection from the pillar-boxes as on Sun-
days and one delivery of Registered and Ordinary Correspondence at
10.00 a.m.

The Branch Post Offices at Stanley, Tai Po and Tin Long will
also have one delivery of ordinary correspondence at 11.00 a.m.
The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

Parcel Post Service to Swatow and Foochow is temporarily
suspended.

Registered and Ordinary mail & Parcels (not insured) will be ac-
cepted for Canton and despatched as circumstances permit.

Letters and Postcards for Europe (except Great Britain and Ire-
land and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Tientsin	Yunnan	1st July
Shanghai	Conte	1st July
	Blancamano	1st July
Japan	Alipore	1st July
Wenchow	Ninghai	1st July
Shanghai and Amoy	Taiyuan	2nd July
Haiphong and Fort Bayard	Jean Dupuis	2nd July
Japan	Nagato Maru	2nd July
Saigon	Anhui	2nd July
Japan	Laos	2nd July
Shanghai and Amoy	Achilles	2nd July
Straits	Tjisadane	2nd July
Straits and Manila	Eumacrus	2nd July
	Mennon	2nd July
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 28th June.	Imperial	3rd July
Formosa	Airways Plane	3rd July
Tientsin	Canton Maru	3rd July
Calcutta and Straits	Rupel	3rd July
Canton	Yuen-sang	3rd July
Shanghai, Amoy and Swatow	Sirogane Maru	4th July
Shanghai	Szechuen	4th July
Calcutta and Straits	Ixion	4th July
Australia and Manila	Talma	4th July
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris date, 28th June	Nellore	4th July
Manila	Air France	5th July
Haiphong, Pakhoi, Holhow and Fort Bayard	Emp. of Japan	5th July
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.)—London date, 8th June and London Parcels—Lon- don date, 1st June	Kaying	5th July
Java and Manila	Corfu	5th July
Saigon	Tijjalengka	5th July
Straits	Felix Roussel	5th July
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 1st July.	Asphalion	5th July
Air Mail by "Pan American Air- ways Direct Service"—San Fran- cisco date, 28th June.	Imperial	6th July
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan— (San Francisco date, 10th June).	Airways Plane	6th July
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan— (San Francisco date, 16th June)	Pan American	6th July
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Garfield	6th July